

## FORTY-THIRD DAY.

(Saturday, March 14, 1925.)

The House met at 9 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Speaker Satterwhite.

The roll was called and the following members were present:

Acker.	Hoskins.
Albritton.	Hull.
Alexander	Irwin.
of Bastrop.	Jacks.
Alexander	Jasper.
of Limestone.	Johnson.
Amsler.	Jones.
Atkinson.	Jordan.
Avis.	Justice.
Baker of Orange.	Kemble.
Baker of Panola.	Kenyon.
Barker.	King.
Barron.	Kinnear.
Bartlett.	Kittrell.
Bateman.	Laird.
Bean.	Lane of Hamilton.
Bedford.	Lane of Harrison.
Blount.	Lipscomb.
Bobbitt.	Loftin.
Boggs.	Low.
Bonham.	Mankin.
Brown.	Masterson.
Bryant.	Maxwell.
Chitwood.	McBride.
Coffey.	McDonald.
Conway.	McDougald.
Coody.	McFarlane.
Covey.	McGill.
Cox of Lamar.	Merritt.
Cox of Navarro.	Montgomery.
Cummings.	Moore.
Dale.	Morris.
Daniels.	Nicholson.
Davis of Dallas.	Parish.
Davis of Wood.	Pavlica.
DeBerry.	Pearce.
Dinkle.	Perdue.
Downs.	Petsch.
Dunlap.	Poage.
Dunn of Falls.	Pool.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Pope.
Durham.	Purl.
Enderby.	Rawlins.
Farrar.	Raymer.
Faulk.	Renfro.
Fields.	Rice.
Finlay.	Robinson.
Florence.	Rogers.
Foster.	Rowell.
Frnka.	Rowland.
Graves.	Runge.
Gray.	Sanford.
Hagaman.	Shearer.
Hall.	Sheats.
Harman.	Simmons.
Harper.	Sinks.
High.	Smith of Nueces.
Hollowell.	Smith of Travis.

Smyth.	Veatch.
Sparks.	Wade.
Stautzenberger.	Walker.
Stell.	Wallace.
Stevens.	Webb.
Stevenson.	Wells.
Storey.	Westbrook.
Stout.	Wester.
Strong.	Williamson.
Taylor.	Wilson.
Teer.	Woodruff.
Thompson.	Young.
Tomme.	

Absent.

Bird.	Kayton.
Cade.	McKean.
Carter.	McNatt.
Dielmann.	Powell.
Donnell.	Simpson.

A quorum was announced present.

Prayer was offered by Rev. J. C. Mitchell, Chaplain.

## LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED.

The following members were granted leave of absence on account of sickness:

Mr. Kinnear for today, on motion of Mr. Rice.

Mr. McBride for today and indefinitely, on motion of Mr. Perdue.

(Mr. Sanford in the chair.)

## BILLS ORDERED NOT PRINTED.

On motion of Mr. Parish, Senate bill No. 411 was ordered not printed.

On motion of Mr. Pool, Senate bill No. 453 was ordered not printed.

## RELATING TO PORTRAIT OF STEPHEN F. AUSTIN.

Mr. Harman offered the following resolution:

Whereas, This House authorized the speaker to appoint a committee to investigate an offer made by the owner of the picture of Stephen F. Austin; and

Whereas, The committee has made its report recommending that the picture be purchased and that two hundred and fifty dollars be appropriated out of contingent expense fund to pay for the same; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk, Carl Phinney, be and is hereby instructed to purchase said picture of Stephen F. Austin, and that the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars be and is hereby appropriated out of the contingent expense fund of the House to pay for said picture; and be it further

Resolved, That said picture be hung in the library of the University of Texas.

Signed—Harman, Loftin, Bonham, Kittrell.

The resolution was read second time.

Mr. Young moved a call of the House for the purpose of maintaining a quorum until 12 o'clock m.

The motion prevailed.

The Speaker then directed the Door-keeper to close the main entrance to the Hall and instructed the Sergeant-at-Arms to lock all other doors leading from the Hall, and stated that no member would be permitted to leave the Hall without written permission from the Speaker.

On motion of Mr. Harman, the Sergeant-at-Arms was instructed to bring in all absentees within the city.

Question recurring on the resolution by Mr. Harman, yeas and nays were demanded.

The resolution was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—37.

Alexander	Mankin.
of Limestone.	Masterson.
Atkinson.	McDougald.
Baker of Orange.	Merritt.
Bartlett.	Pearce.
Boggs.	Petsch.
Chitwood.	Poage.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Pope.
Durham.	Rawlins.
Faulk.	Rowell.
Florence.	Sanford.
Frnka.	Shearer.
Harman.	Smith of Travis.
Harper.	Smyth.
High.	Tomme.
Hollowell.	Wallace.
Irwin.	Wells.
Jasper.	Wester.
Kittrell.	Young.
Lipscomb.	

Nays—63.

Acker.	Cox of Navarro.
Albritton.	Cummings.
Alexander	Dale.
of Bastrop.	Daniels.
Avis.	Davis of Dallas.
Baker of Panola.	Davis of Wood.
Barker.	DeBerry.
Bateman.	Dinkle.
Bean.	Downs.
Bedford.	Enderby.
Bryant.	Farrar.
Coffey.	Fields.
Conway.	Finlay.
Coody.	Foster.
Cox of Lamar.	Graves.

Gray.	Pavlica.
Hagaman.	Perdue.
Hoskins.	Rice.
Hull.	Rogers.
Jacks.	Sheats
Johnson.	Simmons.
Jones.	Smith of Nueces.
Justice.	Sparks.
Kemble.	Stautzenberger.
King.	Stell.
Laird.	Stevens.
Lane of Harrison.	Storey.
McDonald.	Strong.
McGill.	Taylor.
Moore.	Thompson.
Morris.	Webb.
Parish.	

Present—Not Voting.

Veatch.

Absent.

Amsler.	McFarlane.
Barron.	McKean.
Bird.	McNatt.
Blount.	Montgomery.
Bobbitt.	Nicholson.
Bonham.	Pool.
Brown.	Powell.
Cade.	Purl.
Carter.	Raymer.
Covey.	Renfro.
Dielmann.	Robinson.
Donnell.	Rowland.
Dunlap.	Runge.
Dunn of Falls.	Simpson.
Hall.	Sinks.
Jordan.	Stevenson.
Kayton.	Stout.
Kenyon.	Teer.
Kinnear.	Wade.
Lane of Hamilton.	Walker.
Loftin.	Westbrook.
Low.	Williamson.
Maxwell.	Wilson.
McBride.	Woodruff.

Mr. Davis moved to reconsider the vote by which the resolution was lost and to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed.

#### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ELEEMOSYNARY INSTITUTIONS.

Mr. Wallace, Chairman, submitted the following report of the Committee on Eleemosynary Institutions:

To Governor Miriam A. Ferguson and the Honorable Legislature of Texas:

Your Texas Eleemosynary Commission has already presented to you a preliminary report, in which were discussed briefly only a few of the important findings of this Commission, those being

selected as the ones which were most urgently in need of attention and which might be the basis for laws to be enacted during the present session.

Obviously, it would be impossible to consider carefully all phases of our eleemosynary problems at one session of the Legislature. It is equally obvious that all phases of this complicated problem must be considered before an intelligently planned system of eleemosynary institutions and laws can be secured for Texas. Your Commission is, therefore, transmitting to you herewith for publication and study the complete reports made by the distinguished scientists who spent eight months in an exceptionally thorough mental hygiene survey of the Texas asylums: Epileptic Colony, Colony for Feeble-minded, two training schools, two orphans' homes, jails and poor farms in eighteen counties, and three hundred rural school children in each of eleven typical counties.

These surveys represent about fifteen thousand dollars worth of work which was donated to the State of Texas by the National Committee for Mental Hygiene of New York and the Buchanan Foundation of Texarkana, Texas. The carefully collected facts, and the wise discussion of these facts found in these two reports transmitted herewith should be carefully considered by every future legislator and patriotic citizen, with the view of gradually improving each year our eleemosynary institutions and laws in the light of the actual facts and the best scientific thought of the world on these matters.

Your Commission would, therefore, respectfully recommend that these reports be printed in the Journal and that 1000 separate copies of the reports be printed and bound in paper bindings for the use of the legislators and other interested leaders of public thought in Texas and for distribution by the Commission to those who have so generously aided the State.

Your Commission would again call your attention to the desirability of continuing this work by the establishment of a similar Commission by this Legislature and make possible especially the study of the orphan problem, of child-placing agencies, of juvenile courts and reformatories and the other problems which were pointed out in our first report, but which this Commission was unable to study because of lack of funds and of time. A failure to study more carefully the problems of orphan asylums, child-placing agencies, reformatories and juvenile courts will probably cost this State twenty million dollars

in the next twenty years, at the rate we are now going in these matters in Texas.

Respectfully submitted,  
C. S. BEASLEY, Chairman.  
J. F. WALLACE, Vice-Chairman.  
A. C. ELLIS, Secretary.  
J. G. STRONG.  
J. W. THOMAS,  
NAT WASHER,  
ELMER SCOTT,  
MRS. JOSEPHINE DANIEL,  
MRS. ROBT. BROWNING,  
Texas Eleemosynary Commission.

On motion of Mr. Wallace, one thousand extra copies of the Journal of today were ordered printed.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 303 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its third reading and final passage, H. B. No. 303, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 57 of the General Laws of the First Called Session of the Thirty-seventh Legislature, relating to the State penitentiary system; providing for the relocation of the State penitentiary system; providing for the disposition of the penitentiary property to accomplish the purpose of this act; providing for a modern penitentiary system and facilities; providing for the operation and maintenance of said system; providing the necessary officers, agents and employes and making the necessary appropriations to carry out the purpose of this act, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read third time.

Mr. Teer offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House bill No. 303 by striking out the words and figures "one million" wherever they appear and insert in lieu therefor "one-half million."

Mr. Dale moved the previous question on the pending amendment and the bill, and the motion was not seconded.

Question—Shall the bill be passed?

#### SENATE BILL NO. 438 ON PASSAGE TO THIRD READING.

The House, by unanimous consent, resumed consideration of unfinished business, same being

S. B. No. 438, A bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriations to pay miscellaneous claims against the State and authorizing payment of said miscellaneous items on the taking effect of this act, and declaring an emergency."

The bill having heretofore been read second time.

Mr. Smith of Travis offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate bill No. 438, between Sections 1 and 2, by adding the following:

The State of Texas, Dr. to R. E. Cofer and Geo. E. Shelley, to services as special judges on the Court of Civil Appeals of the Third Supreme Judicial District of Texas in the case in said court numbered 6654, entitled Sovereign Camp Woodmen of the World, appellant, vs. Ellen Jackson et al., appellees, from Williamson county; Judge Cofer served for six days, said services being performed between the 24th day of February, 1924, and June 4, 1924; and Geo. E. Shelley three days at the time above stated; Judge Cofer being entitled to six days at \$10.95, amounting to \$65.70, and Judge Shelley to \$32.85.

I, R. E. Cofer, affiant, do solemnly swear the foregoing accounts against the State of Texas for the services performed are just, due, true, correct and unpaid, so help me God.

R. E. COFER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, by R. E. Cofer, this March 9, 1925.

R. H. CONNERLY, Clerk.

I, R. H. Connerly, Clerk of the Court of Civil Appeals of the Third Supreme Judicial District of Texas, do hereby certify that the foregoing claims, respectively, of Judge R. E. Cofer and Judge Geo. E. Shelley, for the sums mentioned, are for services performed in the cause stated; that they served for the time stated and that they were appointed and commissioned thereto by the Governor of Texas. And that they are justly entitled to the sums mentioned.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court this the 9th day of March, A. D. 1925.

R. H. CONNERLY, Clerk.

The amendment was lost.

Mr. Gray offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate bill No. 438 by striking out the following items:

Item on page 1012 in Senate Journal, Crain & Co., franchise tax, 1911-1914, for \$12,846.02. Item on same page, Fulton Bag and Cotton Mills, franchise tax, \$3561.36. Item to Oliver Typewriter Co., 1913-1916, same page, \$4037.22, Item Pittsburg Western Oil Co., same page, \$2177.70. Item top same page, to Weatherford Building and Loan Association, \$630.

On motion of Mr. Purl, the amendment was tabled.

Mr. Young moved to reconsider the

vote by which the amendment by Mr. Smith of Travis was lost.

The motion to reconsider prevailed.

Question recurring on the amendment, it was adopted.

Mr. Dunn of Hopkins offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate bill No. 438 by adding line 8, page 11: To pay J. M. Dunn for traveling expenses to Columbus, Ohio, as a delegate from the State School for the Blind to the biennial session of the National Association of Workers for the Blind, in June, 1909, \$25.

The amendment was lost.

Mr. Sparks offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate bill No. 438 by inserting the following claim: To refund to Oak Lewis, Cross Plains, Texas, for cancellation of permit to buy whiskey, \$5.

The amendment was lost.

Mr. Montgomery offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate bill No. 438, as shown on House bill No. 645, page 5, line 12a, by striking out the word "ninety-eighth" and inserting in lieu thereof "seventy-ninth."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Smith of Travis offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate bill No. 438 by adding the following between Section 1 and Section 2 of said bill:

To pay Mrs. C. Olson, Miss Reichow, and Mrs. M. Reichow for damages and doctor's bill for professional services on account of a State highway truck running into the car owned and being driven by Mrs. C. Olson, as the evidence shows the driver of the State truck was in the wrong, \$650.

Mr. Laird moved the previous question on the pending amendment and the bill, and the main question was ordered.

Question recurring on the amendment, it was lost.

Senate bill No. 438 was then passed to third reading.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 438 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Wester moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate bill No. 438 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—99.

Mr. Speaker.	Atkinson.
Acker.	Avis.
Alexander	Baker of Orange.
of Limestone.	Baker of Panola.

Barker.	McDougald.
Barron.	McFarlane.
Bartlett.	McGill.
Bean.	Merritt.
Boggs.	Montgomery.
Brown.	Moore.
Chitwood.	Morris.
Coffey.	Parish.
Conway.	Pavlica.
Coody.	Pearce.
Cox of Navarro.	Perdue.
Cummings.	Petsch.
Dale.	Poage.
Davis of Dallas.	Pool.
Davis of Wood.	Pope.
DeBerry.	Purl.
Dinkle.	Renfro.
Dunn of Falls.	Rice.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Robinson.
Durham.	Rogers.
Enderby.	Rowell.
Farrar.	Rowland.
Faulk.	Runge.
Fields.	Sanford.
Florence.	Shearer.
Foster.	Sheats.
Frnka.	Sinks.
Graves.	Smith of Nueces.
Hagaman.	Smyth.
Hall.	Stautzenberger.
Harman.	Stell.
Harper.	Stevenson.
High.	Storey.
Hollowell.	Strong.
Hoskins.	Taylor.
Hull.	Teer.
Irwin.	Thompson.
Jacks.	Tomme.
Jasper.	Veatch.
Johnson.	Wade.
Jordan.	Wallace.
Kemble.	Webb.
Kittrell.	Wells.
Lane of Hamilton.	Westbrook.
Lane of Harrison.	Williamson.
Masterson.	Young.
Maxwell.	

Nays—6.

Albritton.	Finlay.
Bryant.	Laird.
Cox of Lamar.	Walker.

Present—Not Voting.

Justice.	Stevens.
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Absent.

Alexander	Cade.
of Bastrop.	Carter.
Amsler.	Covey.
Bateman.	Daniels.
Bedford.	Dielmann.
Bird.	Donnell.
Blount.	Downs.
Bobbitt.	Dunlap.
Bonham.	Gray.

Jones.	Nicholson.
Kayton.	Powell.
Kenyon.	Rawlins.
King.	Raymer.
Kinnear.	Simmons.
Lipscomb.	Simpson.
Loftin.	Smith of Travis.
Low.	Sparks.
Mankin.	Stout.
McBride.	Wester.
McDonald.	Wilson.
McKean.	Woodruff.
McNatt.	

The Speaker then laid Senate bill No. 438 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed.

## RELATING TO HOUSE BILL NO. 246.

Mr. Bonham offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 49, Relating to House bill No. 246.

Whereas, House bill No. 246, being a bill placing the proceeds of the University oil leases in a special building fund with which to construct buildings on the campus of the University of Texas, has been recalled from the Governor's hands; and

Whereas, Said bill is now in the enrolling room of the House and was recalled for the purpose of getting a record vote in order to put the emergency clause into effect; and

Whereas, It is necessary before a new vote can be taken that the Speaker of the House and the President of the Senate should erase their names therefrom; therefore, be it

Resolved by the House, the Senate concurring, That the Speaker of the House and the President of the Senate be, and they are hereby requested to erase their names from said bill, after which the Senate is respectfully requested to return said bill to the House in order that a final record vote may be taken thereon.

The resolution was read second time and was adopted.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1  
ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, as a special order for this hour, on its second reading,

H. J. R. No. 1, Relating to the amending of Article 16, Section 58, of the Constitution of the State of Texas; abolishing the Board of Prison Commis-

sioners; providing for the supervision and management of the prison system under such laws as may be provided for by the Legislature.

The resolution was read second time.

On motion of Mr. Teer, the resolution was laid on the table subject to call.

### HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, as a special order for this hour, on its second reading,

H. J. R. No. 3, Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Texas, so as to exclude the requirements of a tax for free text books.

The resolution was read second time.

On motion of Mr. Merritt, the resolution was laid on the table subject to call.

### HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, as a special order for this hour, on its second reading,

H. J. R. No. 5, Proposing an amendment to Section 2 and Section 24 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas, to provide that the Senate shall consist of thirty-one members and the House of Representatives to consist of one hundred members, and fixing the salaries for the members, fixing the time for the election to be held for such an amendment, and making an appropriation to pay the expenses thereof.

The resolution was read second time.

Mr. Harman offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend House joint resolution No. 5, page 1, by adding at the end of line 27 the following: "not to exceed ten dollars (\$10) per day."

Signed—Harman, Rowland, Lipscomb.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Rowland offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend House joint resolution No. 5, by striking out all of Section 1.

The amendment was lost.

(Mr. Chitwood in the chair.)

Mr. Perdue offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend Section 2 so as to provide that the pay of legislators shall be ten dollars per day and actual mileage in going

to and returning from the capital as charged by the railroads by shortest route.

The amendment was lost.

Mr. Poage moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendment by Mr. Rowland was lost.

The motion to reconsider prevailed.

Mr. Bonham offered the following substitute for the amendment of Mr. Rowland:

Amend the resolution by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. That Sections 5 and 24 of Article 3 of the Constitution of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 5. The Legislature shall meet in regular session on the second Tuesday in January, A. D. 1927, and every two years thereafter, and at other times in special session when convened by the Governor. Such regular session shall continue not exceeding thirty days, during which time no bills shall be passed or rejected unless the same shall be necessary to provide for the mileage and per diem, or a public emergency, and passed by a vote of two-thirds of the members elected to each house, taken by yeas and nays. At the end of said thirty days both houses shall recess until the second Tuesday in April next following. On reassembling the Legislature shall resume its regular session, and at such resumed session no bills shall be introduced in either house without a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, taken by yeas and nays. All bills introduced at the previous thirty-day session shall be acted on by the Legislature without being reintroduced. The regular session shall not continue longer than sixty days after reconvening except upon four-fifths vote of all the members elected to each house, taken by yeas and nays, and for such extra time, if any, the members shall receive five dollars per day."

"Section 24. Members of the Legislature shall receive from the State Treasury as compensation for their services such sum of money as shall be provided by law not exceeding ten dollars per day for the first thirty days of each regular session, and ten dollars per day for each day of the remainder of the regular session. At called sessions such members shall receive not to exceed five dollars per day. In addition to the per diem the members of each house shall be entitled to mileage in going to and returning from the seat of government

at each session not to exceed five dollars for each twenty-five miles, the distance to be computed by the nearest and most direct route of travel by land, regardless of railway or water routes; and the Comptroller of the State shall prepare and preserve a table of distances to each county seat now or hereafter to be established, and by such table the mileage of each member shall be paid; but no member shall be entitled to mileage for any special session that may be called within one day after the adjournment of a regular or called session."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the 25th day of July, A. D. 1925, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon, "For the constitutional amendment providing for biennial sessions of the Legislature so as to permit the introduction of bills and a recess to study bills, restricting introduction of bills, providing for sessions, compensation and mileage," and "Against the constitutional amendment providing for biennial sessions of the Legislature so as to permit the introduction of bills and a recess to study bills, restricting introduction of bills, providing for sessions, compensation and mileage." Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. The sum of \$5000 (five thousand dollars), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the general revenue of this State, not otherwise appropriated, to bear the expenses of this election.

Sec. 4. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Mr. Poage raised a point of order on consideration of the amendment, on the ground that the amendment is not germane to the purpose of the pending amendment.

The Speaker overruled the point of order.

Mr. Dale moved that further consideration of all House joint resolutions on the Speaker's table be postponed until 10 o'clock a. m. next Monday, and the motion was lost.

## BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER.

The Speaker signed, in the presence of the House, after giving due notice thereof, and their captions had been read severally, the following enrolled bills and resolutions:

S. B. No. 365, "An Act extending the boundaries of the Markham Independent School District, enlarging the same and defining its boundaries and providing that the management and control of all public free schools within said enlarged district shall be vested in the present board of public school trustees of the Markham Independent School District and their successors in office," etc.

S. B. No. 377, "An Act creating the Willamar Independent School District in Willacy county, Texas; defining its boundaries; providing for a board of trustees in said district; conferring upon said district and its board of trustees all the rights, powers, privileges and duties now conferred and imposed by the general laws upon independent school districts and the boards of trustees thereof; providing that the management and control of the public free schools of said district shall be vested in a board of trustees composed of five persons, and providing for the election and qualification of said trustees; providing for the assumption by said district of the outstanding bonded indebtedness; providing for the appointment of a tax assessor and collector and board of equalization for said district, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 441, "An Act to create the Montgomery Independent School District in Montgomery county, Texas, defining its boundaries, providing for the retention in office of the present board of trustees of the Montgomery Independent School District, and providing for the abolition of all other boards of trustees of any school district included within the district hereby created, providing for the raising of revenues, issuing bonds, maintaining public free schools, providing for the means of transportation of the school children in said district, validating all issues of bonds heretofore voted and made, declaring valid and continuing in force all maintenance taxes heretofore voted and levied, providing for an election to determine (1) whether the entire district as a whole as herein created shall assume all outstanding bonded indebtedness, (2) all property within the Montgomery Inde-

pendent School District as created by this act shall be subject to all special school taxes heretofore voted and levied by the Montgomery School District, repealing all laws in conflict with this act, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 416, "An Act creating the Huntington Independent School District in Angelina county, including within the bounds of said district the present Huntington Independent School District; defining the boundaries of said district; validating certain schoolhouse bonds authorized and issued," etc.

S. B. No. 244, "An Act conferring upon the board of directors of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas the right of eminent domain, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 378, "An Act creating the Lasara Independent School District in Willacy county, Texas; defining its boundaries; providing for a board of trustees in said district; conferring upon said district and its board of trustees all the rights, powers, privileges and duties now conferred and imposed by the general laws upon independent school districts and the boards of trustees thereof; providing that the management and control of the public free schools of said district shall be vested in a board of trustees composed of five persons; providing for the election and qualification of said trustees."

S. B. No. 433, "An Act validating Common School District No. 5 of Gaines county, Texas, and validating an issue of bonds heretofore voted by said district; defining the powers of the county board of school trustees of Gaines county in respect to said district, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 414, "An Act creating the Ben Franklin Independent School District in Delta county, Texas; defining its boundaries; providing for a board of trustees for said district; conferring upon said district and its board of trustees all the rights, powers, privileges and duties now conferred and imposed by the general laws of Texas upon independent school districts and the board of trustees thereof, including petition to extend its boundaries; providing that all bonds heretofore voted in said district shall remain in full force and effect against said district which voted the same; providing for the assumption of said bonds and of its proportion of the bonded indebtedness of any common school district of which the land herein described is a part; providing for appointment of tax collector and assessor and a board of equalization; providing

for a depository, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 403, "An Act to amend Section 3, Chapter 81, of the Local and Special Laws enacted by the Thirty-fourth Legislature at its Regular Session in 1915, same being a special road law for Young county, by adding thereto Section 2a, to permit the issuance of bonds by Young county for the purpose of funding or refunding indebtedness incurred for road and bridge purposes, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 370, "An Act to create a commission in aid of the Court of Criminal Appeals of Texas, regulating their powers and duties, appointment, duration of service, compensation, and providing for a stenographer, and making an appropriation therefor, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 341, "An Act amending Chapter 8 of the Local and Special Laws of the Third Called Session of the Thirty-eighth Legislature of the State of Texas, creating the Woodson Independent School District in Throckmorton and Stephens counties, Texas, so as to reduce the territory included in and re-define the boundaries of said Woodson Independent School District; providing for a board of trustees in said district, conferring upon said district and its board of trustees all the rights, powers, privileges and duties now conferred and imposed by the general laws of Texas upon independent school districts and the boards of trustees thereof; providing that the present board of trustees continue in office until the expiration of their respective terms; providing that the outstanding bonded indebtedness of all school districts or parts thereof included within the bounds of said district shall remain chargeable against the territory which voted the same, and providing that the district as herein created may assume such outstanding bonded indebtedness; prohibiting the district as herein established from selling any of the bonds voted by the Woodson Independent School District as created by said Chapter 8, of the Local and Special Laws of the Third Called Session of the Thirty-eighth Legislature of the State of Texas; providing for the repeal of all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 418, "An Act to amend Section 1, of Chapter 49 of the Local and Special Laws enacted by the Thirty-sixth Legislature at its Regular Session in 1919, same being a special road law for Grimes county, by repealing said Section 1 and substituting therefor the

following: to permit the issuance of bonds by Grimes county for the purpose of funding or refunding indebtedness incurred for road and bridge purposes, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 432, "An Act creating and establishing West University Place Independent School District in Harris county, Texas, defining and describing it by metes and bounds; providing for the government thereof; providing for the election of trustees therefor; providing for the government thereof as under the general laws in all matters not otherwise specially provided herein; providing for the extension of boundaries thereof, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 409, "An Act creating Snyder Independent School District in Scurry county, Texas; defining its boundaries; including the original Snyder Independent School District and adding territory thereto; conferring on said district and its board of trustees all the rights, powers, privileges and duties now conferred and imposed by the general laws of the State upon independent school districts and the boards of trustees thereof; validating and continuing in force the legal maintenance tax heretofore voted in a part of said district as herein created, until the legal voters shall increase, diminish or abolish same; providing that the outstanding bonds heretofore issued by the Snyder Independent School District as established under the general laws shall not be impaired hereby nor shall the bonds of any district a part of whose territory is included herein be impaired hereby; providing that other territory may be added; providing for the collection of delinquent taxes; providing that in event any of the provisions of this act shall be held ineffective that such action shall not invalidate the remaining portions hereof; providing that this act shall be cumulative of the general laws governing the creation and operation of independent school districts, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 425, "An Act creating and establishing Sweeny Independent School District in Brazoria county, Texas, defining and describing it by metes and bounds, providing for election of trustees thereof, providing for it to assume the outstanding indebtedness of Sweeny Independent School District as heretofore created, vesting in it the title to all school property situated therein, providing for the government thereof as under the general laws applicable to towns

and villages incorporated for free school purposes only, providing for the extension of boundaries thereof, validating outstanding schoolhouse bonds and tax levies and assessments, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 436, "An Act to amend Section 2, Chapter 40, Local and Special Laws enacted by the Regular Session of the Thirty-fourth Legislature in 1915, same being an amendment to San Saba county special road law, by adding thereto Section 2a, to permit the issuance of bonds by San Saba county."

S. J. R. No. 7, Relating to National Guard.

S. B. No. 430, "An Act to amend Section 19, of Chapter 5, Local and Special Laws passed by the Thirty-third Legislature at its Regular Session, same being a special road law for San Jacinto county, Texas, by adding thereto Section 19a, to permit the issuance of bonds by said county for the purpose of funding or refunding indebtedness incurred for road and bridge purposes prior to March 1, 1925, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 420, "An Act to create the Wills Independent School District in Montgomery county, Texas; defining its boundaries; to provide for the election of trustees," etc.

S. B. No. 450, "An Act creating a special road law for Baylor county, Texas, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 379, "An Act amending Acts of the Thirty-eighth Legislature, Second Called Session, Chapter 6, and providing that where the State of Texas, through the Game, Fish and Oyster Commissioner, has issued a permit to excavate and take from any island, reef, bar, lake, river, creek, bayou or bay of this State, marl, mud shell, oyster shell, sand and gravel, the State, at the request of the permit holder, shall have the right and power to condemn land for the purpose of erecting dredges and necessary equipments, railroad spurs, and of opening roads and passage-ways to said place of operations, including all such lands, right-of-ways, easements and property aforesaid for the purpose of establishing and maintaining landings and providing mooring for barges and dredges and all equipment; and providing that the method of condemnation shall be the same as now provided by law in cases of railroads and providing that suit shall be instituted in the name of the State by the county attorney of the county in which the property or a part thereof affected by such proceedings is situated, and pro-

viding a fee of \$10 in each case for the county attorney in instituting such proceedings, to be collected as a part of the costs, and providing for all costs to be paid by either the permit holder or by the person against whom such proceedings are had, to be determined as in the case of railroad condemnation proceedings, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 293, "An Act to amend Article 648 of subdivision 2 of Chapter 2, Title 18, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, so as to allow the issuance of bonds for the purpose provided in said subdivision of said chapter in counties having in excess of 200,000 inhabitants by the last preceding United States census, in an amount or sum not greater than ten cents on the hundred dollars property valuation of such county so that said article will hereafter read as herein provided in Section 1, and declaring an emergency." •

S. B. No. 421, "An Act to amend Section 7, Chapter 87, House bill No. 428, Special Act of the Thirty-fourth Legislature, approved and made law on March 23, 1915, incorporating Comanche Independent School District in Comanche county, Texas, so that it shall be the duty of the board of trustees of said district to order an election to determine whether there shall be levied, assessed and collected upon all taxable property within said district a tax not to exceed the rate of \$1.50 on the \$100.00 valuation of said property in such district, for the purpose of supplementing said school funds apportioned to said district in lieu of the tax rate of 50 cents for said purpose of the \$100.00 valuation as provided in Section 7 of this act, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 426, "An Act to create a more efficient road system for Travis county, Texas, and making the county commissioners of said county road commissioners, and prescribing their duties as such, and providing for their compensation as county commissioners, and for the performance of all their duties and annual salary payable monthly; providing for the holding of a monthly regular session of said court," etc.

S. B. No. 384, "An Act creating the Mumford Independent School District of Robertson county, Texas, as is included by the field notes as follows: Defining its boundaries; investing it with the rights, powers and duties and privileges of a district incorporated for school purposes under the general law; providing for a board of trustees therefor; making

provisions for taxation for school purposes in said district, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 371, "An Act creating a special road law for Cottle county, Texas, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 314, "An Act to amend Sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, of Chapter 41, General Laws, passed at the Regular Session of the Thirty-seventh Legislature, so as to more clearly provide for the creation of the road districts therein authorized, and for the consolidation of road districts, and for the exclusion from road districts, if desired, of territory covered by other districts created under Section 52, Article III of the Constitution; providing a method of procedure in the creation of such districts, and validating districts heretofore created under the act hereby amended and all bonds voted by such districts, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 366, "An Act extending the boundaries of the Blessing Independent School District," etc.

H. B. No. 500, "An Act to create the Boone County Line Common School District No. 9, lying in Midland and Glasscock counties, Texas, validating all acts of the board of trustees of said county line district with respect to contracts, validating all taxes heretofore voted and levied upon the territory of said district, placing said district under the general laws of the State, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 520, "An Act to create the Plymouth Independent School District in Collingsworth county, Texas, including therein the present Plymouth Independent School District No. 17 of Collingsworth county; providing a board of trustees therefor, vesting said Plymouth Independent School District board of trustees with all the rights, privileges and duties conferred upon independent school districts incorporated under the general laws of Texas; providing for the validation of all current contracts, taxes and bond issues of the said Plymouth Independent School District No. 17 as the subsisting obligations and acts of the Plymouth Independent School District as created by this act, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 534, "An Act creating the Herral County Line School District in Lubbock county and Hale county, Texas, out of territory now comprising Herral County Line Common School District No. 30 in Lubbock county and Hale county, Texas, and established and defined by order of the county boards of trustees of Lubbock and Hale counties,

Texas, and recorded in Vol. 1 of the record of school districts in the office of the county clerk of Lubbock county, at page 1 et seq., except the following lands, which are by Act of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, Fourth Called Session, House bill No. 175, Chapter 27, Section 1, transferred to Hardy Common School District No. 26, viz.: Surveys 22, 23, 24, 25, 26 and 27, and about 2001 acres out of Surveys 22, 23, 24, 25, 26 and 27, and about 200 acres out of Survey 132, and in Block P, defining the boundaries; providing for a board of trustees and defining their powers and authority; authorizing said board of trustees to levy, assess and collect taxes for maintenance and building purposes and to issue bonds therefor; providing that said board of trustees shall exercise the power and authority of the board of equalization for said district; providing that all outstanding bonds, obligations and indebtedness of said Harral County Line Common School District No. 30 shall be assumed by and shall become binding obligations upon Harral County Line Independent School District; providing for the validation of all such bonds, obligations and indebtedness; continuing in force all taxes heretofore voted and now in force in said Harral County Line Common School District No. 30; providing that title to all public free school property within said territory shall be divested out of Harral County Line Common School District No. 30 and vested in Harral County Line Independent School District as hereby created; providing for the election and term of office of trustees of said Harral County Line Independent School District; providing for the filling of vacancies on said board of trustees; providing for seal for said district; providing that said board of trustees shall be governed by the general laws in all matters where this act is silent; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; providing that invalidation by the courts of any provisions or section herein shall not invalidate the remaining sections and provisions, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 522, "An Act to create the Bluffdale Independent School District in Erath county, Texas, including therein the present Bluffdale Independent District No. 8 of Erath county; providing a board of trustees therefor; vesting said Bluffdale Independent School District board of trustees with all the rights, powers, privileges and duties conferred upon independent school districts incorporated under the general laws of Texas; providing for the validation of

all current contracts, taxes and bond issues of the said Bluffdale Independent School District No. 8 as the subsisting obligations and acts of the Bluffdale Independent School District as created by this act; providing for an election to determine as to the assumption of outstanding indebtedness of territory hereby incorporated, as herein set out, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 542, "An Act creating and incorporating the Cross Roads County Line Independent School District lying in the counties of Henderson and Anderson, in the State of Texas."

H. B. No. 552, "An Act creating and incorporating the Happy Independent School District in Terry county, Texas, out of territory now composing Happy Common School District No. 11 in said county as heretofore created, and adding thereto certain territory now within the bounds of the Gomez Independent School District heretofore created by act of the Legislature, and defining its boundaries."

H. B. No. 532, "An Act to authorize water improvement districts or conservation and reclamation districts which are or may be operated under contract with the United States government or any department thereof, to acquire, construct, operate, lease or otherwise control, use or employ steam and water power facilities and plants for the generation, distribution and supply of electrical energy; giving them authority to incur indebtedness for the accomplishment of such purposes and authorizing the issuance of bonds therefor, subject to the regulations, terms, conditions and provisions of Chapter 87, General Laws, Thirty-fifth Legislature, Regular Session, relating to issuance and sale of bonds, and of the acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto; authorizing such districts to contract with districts organized under the laws of other States; authorizing the joint acquisition, operation and control of such plants and facilities by such districts; authorizing contracts between said districts to accomplish the purposes authorized by this act; requiring ratification of such contracts by the legally qualified voters of such districts, and prescribing the method of entering into such contracts; authorizing such districts to sell or lease power to municipal and other corporations, firms or individuals; authorizing the establishment of a joint office for two or more such districts and the employment of a general manager, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 541, "An Act creating Sher-

wood Independent School District in Irion county, Texas, and defining its boundaries," etc.

H. B. No. 427, "An Act to create Neal Common School District in Tyler county, Texas, including therein the territory of the Common School District No. 36 of the said county; providing a board of trustees therefor; vesting said school district board of trustees with all the rights, powers, privileges and duties conferred upon common school districts incorporated under the general laws of Texas; and providing for a board of trustees to serve until the time for the next election of school trustees as provided by general law; providing for the validation of all contracts for the maintenance of the schools of the territory herein incorporated for the current scholastic year; providing for an election to determine as to the outstanding bonded indebtedness of the territory herein incorporated, as herein set out; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 484, "An Act changing the boundaries of Caldwell Common School District No. 6 in Lubbock county, Texas, and Abernathy Independent School District in Lubbock and Hale counties, Texas, and transferring a portion of the territory now embraced in Abernathy Independent School District to Caldwell Common School District No. 6, and providing that Caldwell Common School District No. 6 shall assume and pay the portion of the bonded indebtedness of Abernathy Independent School District which it is obligated to assume in taking over the additional lands, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 462, "An Act to levy and collect annually a three-dollar road tax against all able-bodied male citizens of Waller county, who are between the ages of 21 and 45 years; providing the manner of assessment and collection of said tax and further providing for a penalty for failure or refusal to pay such tax, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 459, "An Act to amend an act of the Second Called Session of the Thirty-eighth Legislature entitled 'An Act creating the Westover Independent School District,' Chapter 13, defining the boundaries of said district; giving the trustees thereof power to increase its areas, providing for the assumption of pro rata indebtedness annexed territory, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 486, "An Act creating and incorporating the Willow Wells Independent School District, in Terry county, out of territory now composing Willow Wells Common School District No. 14 in said county as heretofore created, defining its boundaries; providing for a board of trustees thereof, and defining their powers and authority; authorizing said board of trustees to levy, assess and collect taxes for maintenance and building purposes and to issue bonds therefor; providing for an assessor and collector of taxes thereof; providing for a board of equalization for said district; providing that all outstanding obligations and indebtedness of said Common School District No. 14 in Terry county shall be assumed by and become binding obligations of said Willow Wells Independent School District; providing for the validation of all such obligations and indebtedness; continuing in force the certain maintenance tax heretofore voted in said Common School District No. 14; providing that title to all public free school property within said territory shall vest in said Willow Wells Independent School District; providing for the election and terms of office of trustees of said Willow Wells Independent School District, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 509, "An Act to create the Common County Line School District No. 9 in Scurry, Borden and Mitchell counties, Texas; providing a board of trustees thereof, and vesting said common county line school district board of trustees with all the rights, powers, privileges and duties conferred upon common county line school districts incorporated under the general laws of Texas; conferring upon Scurry county jurisdiction over said district; providing for an election to determine as to the assumption of outstanding bonded indebtedness of territory hereby incorporated, as herein set out, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 485, "An Act creating the Bledsoe Independent School District in Lubbock county, Texas, out of territory now comprising Bledsoe Common School District No. 5 in Lubbock county, Texas, as said common school district was created and established by act of the Thirty-fifth Legislature of the State of Texas, Fourth Called Session, Local and Special Laws, House bill No. 175, Chapter 27, Section 5; defining its boundaries; providing for a board of trustees and defining their powers and authority;

authorizing said board of trustees to levy, assess and collect taxes for maintenance and building purposes and to issue bonds therefor; providing for an assessor and collector of taxes thereof; providing that said board of trustees shall exercise the power and authority of the board of equalization for said district; providing that all outstanding bonds, obligations and indebtedness of said Bledsoe Common School District No. 5 shall be assumed by and shall become binding obligations upon Bledsoe Independent School District; providing for the validation of all such bonds, obligations and indebtedness; continuing in force all taxes heretofore voted and now in force in said Bledsoe Common School District No. 5; providing that title to all public free school property within said territory be divested out of Bledsoe Common School District No. 5 and vested in Bledsoe Independent School District as hereby created; providing for the election and term of office of trustees of said Bledsoe Independent School District," etc.

H. B. No. 470, "An Act to create the Reagan County Independent School District in Reagan county, Texas; providing a board of trustees therefor; vesting said independent school district board of trustees with all the rights, powers, privileges and duties conferred upon independent school districts organized under the general laws of Texas; providing for a board of trustees for the said district to serve until the time for the next election of school trustees in independent school districts as provided by general laws; authorizing the said Reagan County Independent School District to hold an election to determine whether or not the said district shall assume and make provision for the payment of the outstanding indebtedness of the territory incorporated herein; validating and continuing in force current contracts and tax levies of districts included in the Reagan County Independent District for the present scholastic year, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 488, "An Act making a special road law for Upshur county; defining powers and duties of county commissioners, and conferring upon them such authority as may be necessary to enable them to establish and maintain a system of county public roads that will meet the requirements of all the people for convenient inter-communication and for reaching their local market centers and providing for extra compensation

for extra services of commissioners, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 399, "An Act creating the Asherton Independent School District in Dimmit county, Texas; defining its boundaries; providing for a board of trustees in said district; conferring upon said district and its board of trustees all the rights, powers, privileges, duties and liabilities now conferred and imposed by the general laws of Texas upon independent school districts and the board of trustees thereof; declaring that all taxes or bonds heretofore authorized by Asherton Common School District No. 2 of Dimmit county, Texas, shall remain in full force and effect, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 546, "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 2, Local and Special Laws passed by the Thirty-third Legislature at its Regular Session, same being a special road law for Shelby county, Texas, by adding thereto Sections 2a and 2b, to permit the issuance of bonds by said county for the purpose of funding or refunding indebtedness incurred for road and bridge purposes, and to prohibit hereafter the issuance by the commissioners court of said county warrants against the road and bridge fund payable out of the revenues of future years, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 316, "An Act creating the Cyclone Common School District No. 9 in Bell county, Texas, fixing its boundaries by metes and bounds, dissolving and abolishing the old common school district No. 9 in said county and State, and carving out of a part of the same, retaining its old name, that is the Cyclone Common School District No. 9, out of the eastern part of said old district, and by this special act creating the new; providing for the payment of outstanding bonds or other evidences of indebtedness, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 510, "An Act to incorporate Bradshaw Independent School District in Taylor and Runnels counties, Texas, as an independent school district, and to provide for the election of trustees, raising of revenue by taxation, issuing of bonds for the erection of a school building within said district, to define the boundaries of said district and conferring upon the board of trustees plenary powers, to levy and collect a tax to retire bonds and to pay current expenses for the maintenance of said school; providing for a board of equalization, prescribing the duties and au-

thorities of said board, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 382, "An Act making appropriations to pay the salaries of officers and employes of certain eleemosynary institutions of the State, and other expenses of maintaining and conducting them for the two fiscal years beginning September 1, 1925, and ending August 31, 1927, as follows, to wit: Confederate Woman's Home; State Confederate Home; State Colony for Feeble-Minded; Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institute for Colored Youths; East Texas Hospital for the Insane; State Epileptic Colony; Girls' Training School; Home for Dependent and Neglected Children; North Texas Hospital for Insane; Northwest Texas Hospital for Insane; Southwestern Insane Asylum; State Juvenile Training School; State Lunatic Asylum; State Pasteur Institute; State Lunatic Asylum Annex; State Orphans Home; State Tuberculosis Sanatorium; State Hospital for Crippled and Deformed Children, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 282, "An Act creating the offices of county weighers in all counties in Texas having a population of not less than 55,700 and not more than 55,800, according to the United States census for 1920; and prescribing the qualifications for such office and the power and duties thereof."

H. B. No. 554, "An Act creating Plemons Independent School District in Hutchinson county, Texas."

H. B. No. 332, "An Act amending Chapter 19, Local and Special Laws, passed by the Thirty-seventh Legislature at its First Called Session, as amended by Chapter 88, Local and Special Laws, passed by the Thirty-eighth Legislature at its Regular Session, creating the Canton Independent School District in Van Zandt county, Texas; defining its boundaries; providing for the extension thereof, including the present Canton Independent School District; providing for a board of trustees in said district; conferring upon said district and its board of trustees all the rights, powers, privileges and duties now conferred and imposed by the general laws of Texas upon independent school districts and the boards of trustees thereof; providing that the present board of trustees continue in office until the expiration of their respective terms; providing that the outstanding bonded indebtedness of each school district included within the bounds of said district shall remain chargeable against the territory which

voted the same; providing that the district as herein created may assume such outstanding bonded indebtedness; providing for the repeal of all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 493, "An Act to create the Tell Independent School District in Childress, Hall and Cottle counties, Texas, including therein the present Common County Line School District No. 9 of Hall, Childress and Cottle counties and the Tell Independent District of Hall and Childress counties; providing a board of trustees therefor; vesting said Tell Independent School District board of trustees with all the rights, powers, privileges and duties conferred upon independent school districts incorporated under the general laws of Texas; providing for the validation of all current contracts of the said Common County Line School District No. 9 and the present Tell Independent District as the subsisting obligations and acts of the Tell Independent School District as created by this act; providing for an election to determine as to the assumption of outstanding bonded indebtedness of territory hereby incorporated as herein set out, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 516, "An Act creating the Motley Independent School District of Rusk county; defining its boundaries; vesting it with rights, powers, duties and privileges of districts incorporated for school purposes only under the general laws; providing for a board of trustees therefor, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 352, "An Act to amend Sections 7 and 8, Chapter 19, of the Local and Special Laws of the Regular Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, and adding thereto Sections 8a and 8b, relating to quorum; providing for the appointment of certain officers, board of equalization, and providing for the execution of bond by certain officers of the Garwood Independent School District in Colorado county, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 369, "An Act to change and prescribe the time for holding district court of the Thirty-first Judicial District of the State; and to conform all writs and process from such court to such changes and to make all writs and process issued or served before this act takes effect, including recognizances and bonds, returnable to the terms of court in the several counties in said district, as herein fixed, and to validate the summoning of grand, petit jurors and juries, and providing for the continuation of

court in session in said district when this act takes effect to the end of its term, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith."

H. B. No. 517, "An Act creating the Sulphur Springs Independent School District of Rusk county; defining its boundaries; vesting it with rights, powers, duties and privileges of districts incorporated for school purposes only under the general laws; providing for a board of trustees therefor, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 504, "An Act creating and incorporating the Newcastle Independent School District, lying in Young county in the State of Texas; defining the boundaries thereof; providing for a board of trustees thereof; placing said independent district under the control of the general laws governing independent districts; providing that no outstanding indebtedness of the Newcastle Independent District be invalidated, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 514, "An Act to create the Conroe Independent School District in Montgomery county, Texas; defining its boundaries; to provide for the election of trustees; providing for the retention in office of the present board of trustees of the Conroe Independent School District, and providing for the abolition of all other boards of trustees of any school district included within the district hereby created; providing for the raising of revenue, issuing bonds, maintaining public free schools; providing for the means of transportation of the school children in said district; to provide for the establishment of voting precincts and places for the holding of elections within said district; validating all issues of bonds heretofore voted and made; declaring valid and continuing in force all maintenance taxes heretofore voted and levied; providing for an election to determine (1) whether the entire district as a whole as herein created shall assume all outstanding bonded indebtedness, (2) whether all property within the Conroe Independent School District as created by this act shall be subject to all special school taxes heretofore voted and levied by the Conroe Independent School District; repealing all laws in conflict with this act, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 320, "An Act to amend Article 6901a of Chapter 1, Title 119, of the Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, as enacted by Chapter 29 of the General Laws of the Fourth Called Session of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, and as amended by Chapter 98 of the General Laws, Regular Session of the Thirty-sixth Legis-

lature, and as amended by Chapter 184 of the General Laws, Regular Session of the Thirty-eighth Legislature, being an act to change the designated year upon which is based the assessed valuation of taxable properties affected by the act to be amended, and relating to the compensation of county commissioners; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

H. C. R. No. 49, Asking that name be erased from House bill No. 246.

H. C. R. No. 47, Relating to error in Free Conference Committee report.

H. B. No. 556, "An Act creating the Orange Independent School District in the county of Orange, State of Texas."

H. B. No. 583, "An Act creating the Ratcliff Independent School District."

H. B. No. 577, "An Act to amend Section 11, Chapter 16 of the Local and Special Laws enacted by the First Called Session of the Thirty-seventh Legislature in 1921, same being a special road law for Liberty county, by adding thereto Section 11a, to permit the issuance of bonds by Liberty county for the purpose of funding or refunding indebtedness incurred for road and bridge purposes, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 576, "An Act to amend Article 7235 of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1911, as amended from time to time, and as amended by Chapter 97 of the General Laws of the Regular Session of the Thirty-eighth Legislature, so as to include San Augustine and Sabine counties within the provisions of said article, which relates to stock law elections, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 571, "An Act to amend Section 14, Chapter 67, Local Laws, enacted by the Thirty-third Legislature, for the purpose of funding or refunding indebtedness incurred for road and bridge purposes, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 101, "An Act to create a permanent Text-Book Commission for the State of Texas, to be styled 'The Texas State Text-Book Commission'; defining its membership and appointment; authorizing the adoption of a system of uniform text-books in this State; providing the manner in which revisions of adopted texts may be made," etc.

S. B. No. 74, "An Act to provide for the construction and maintenance of a State highway system under the direct control of the State Highway Department and with appropriations out of the State Highway fund; authorizing the commissioners court of any county to grant aid for the improvement by the State Highway Department or any sec-

tion or sections of said highway system located in said county; regulating the manner of paying such aid; regulating the making of contracts by the State Highway Department for the improvement of said highway system; authorizing the condemnation of materials to be used in the improvement of a State highway and of land for rights of way; declaring the invalidity of any provision of this act shall not affect the validity of any other provision; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 205, "An Act to amend Chapter 109, being House bill No. 564, passed at the Regular Session of the Thirty-eighth Legislature of the State of Texas and entitled, 'An Act amending Sections 6 and 6a of Chapter 8, being House bill No. 45, passed at the First Called Session of the Thirty-seventh Legislature of the State of Texas, and entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 46 of the General Laws of the State of Texas at the Regular Session of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, being an act to reorganize the Twenty-eighth Judicial District of the State of Texas,' etc., and providing for the changing and fixing the time of holding the courts in the Twenty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, and validating and continuing all processes and writs, bonds, recognizances and jurors heretofore selected, etc., returnable to the terms of court as they now exist, and continuing in session any court in said district now in session until adjourned by the judge thereof, and declaring an emergency."

#### MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Senate Chamber,  
Austin, Texas, March 14, 1925.  
Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate requests the House for the return of Senate bill No. 395 for further consideration.

The Senate has passed

S. J. R. No. 22, Relating to Texas State parks.

H. C. R. No. 47, Relating to certain changes to be made in the Free Conference Committee report on House bill No. 101.

Respectfully,  
MORRIS C. HANKINS,  
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

#### MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Senate Chamber,  
Austin, Texas, March 14, 1925.  
Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate refuses to concur in House amendments to Senate bill No. 174 and requests the House for the appointment of a Free Conference Committee to adjust the differences.

The following are appointed as conferees on the part of the Senate:

Senators Wirtz, Fairchild, Strong, Wood and Miller.

The Senate has passed

H. C. R. No. 49, Providing for the Speaker of the House and President of the Senate to erase their names from House bill No. 246.

S. B. No. 387, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Articles 6655, 6657 and 6658, Chapter 15, Title 115, Revised Statutes of Texas, providing that employees designated may hear the evidence adduced at a hearing upon the establishment of rates under said chapter of Title 115, and for such purpose shall have the power to administer oaths to the witnesses, compel their attendance, and the production of papers, waybills, books, accounts, documents and testimony; that in the event such hearing is had before such employee he shall, if requested by the Commission, transmit with a stenographic report of the evidence his findings and recommendations which may be approved or disapproved by the Commission at its discretion, and an order entered by the Commission in accordance with its own determination of the issues involved so as to provide that when a railroad company or other party at interest files a suit against the Railroad Commission of Texas by reason of its decision of a rate, classification, rule, charge, order, act or regulation, the court before whom said cause shall be pending shall not issue a writ of injunction temporarily restraining the enforcement of said rate, classification, rule, charge, order, act or regulation except after notice to the Commission and opportunity for hearing on the application for said temporary injunction; providing that in the trial of such cause the findings and order of the Commission shall be prima facie

evidence of the facts therein stated, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 388, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 6676, Chapter 15, Title 115, Revised Statutes, so that the provisions of said chapter shall be construed to apply to and affect the transportation of passengers and freight by gasoline or electric motor cars over steam railroads between points within this State; providing that such gasoline or electric motor car shall be deemed a train within the meaning of the requirement that at least one train be run each day, etc.; and providing that if such steam railroads shall operate a gasoline or electric motor car for transportation of passengers it shall be subject to the requirements that at least one such motor car shall be run every day, Sundays excepted, and to the requirements as to stopping for a time sufficient to receive and let off passengers at such stations as may be designated by the commissioners, and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully,  
MORRIS C. HANKINS,  
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

#### HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING.

The following bills, introduced today, were laid before the House, read severally first time, and referred to the appropriate committees, as follows:

By Mr. Bonham:

H. B. No. 683, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create and establish the Beeville Independent School District in Bee county, Texas, including therein the territory of the present Beeville Independent District as incorporated under the general law; providing a board of trustees for the said district and conferring upon the board of trustees the rights, powers and duties prescribed by general law for independent school district trustees; validating current contracts, indebtedness, and tax levies of the present Beeville Independent School District as the valid and subsisting contracts, indebtedness and taxes of the district as hereby created, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on School Districts.

By Mr. Low:

H. B. No. 684, A bill to be entitled "An Act fixing the salary of the State

Health Officer and making appropriation to pay such salary."

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

My Mr. Gray:

H. B. No. 685, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 1, Chapter 34, Acts of the Regular Session, Thirty-fifth Legislature, creating the Lipscomb Independent School District in Lipscomb county; enlarging the boundaries thereof, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on School Districts.

By Mr. Barron:

H. B. No. 686, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Art. 4874, Chap. 8, Title 71, of the Revised Statutes of 1911; said amendment adding to said article that the cellar and foundation walls shall not be included or considered a part of the building or structure in settling fire losses; and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Insurance.

#### HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION ON FIRST READING.

The following House joint resolution, introduced today, was read first time and referred to the Committee on Constitutional Amendments:

By Mr. Jasper and Mr. Lane of Harrison:

H. J. R. No. 29, Proposing an amendment to Section 24, Article 3, of the Constitution of Texas, so as to prohibit the use of free passes by the members of the Legislature, and to allow a reasonable and fair compensation to such members from the State Treasury.

#### RECESS.

Mr. Gray moved that the House recess to 2 o'clock p. m. today.

Mr. Dale moved that the House adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. next Monday.

The motion of Mr. Gray prevailed, and the House, accordingly, at 12 o'clock m., took recess to 2 o'clock p. m. today.

#### AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2 o'clock p. m. and was called to order by the Speaker.

#### PRESENTATION OF PORTRAIT OF COLONEL WM. MEANS.

On motion of Mr. Dunn of Hopkins,

the portrait of Colonel Wm. Means, which was presented to the State by Mrs. N. B. Baker, was accepted.

#### BILL ORDERED NOT PRINTED.

On motion of Mr. Bonham, House bill No. 683 was ordered not printed.

#### BILL RECOMMITTED.

On motion of Mr. Lipscomb, Senate bill No. 177 was recommitted to the Judiciary Committee.

#### SENATE BILLS ON FIRST READING.

The following Senate bills, received from the Senate today, were laid before the House, read severally first time, and referred to the appropriate committees, as follows:

Senate bill No. 387, to the Judiciary Committee.

Senate bill No. 388, to the Committee on Common Carriers.

#### SPECIAL ORDER POSTPONED.

On motion of Mr. Wilson, further consideration of all House joint resolutions on the Speaker's table was postponed until 9 o'clock a. m. next Monday.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 303 ON FINAL PASSAGE.

The House resumed consideration of unfinished business, same being House bill No. 303, relocating the State Penitentiary, with amendment by Mr. Teer pending.

Mr. Chitwood moved the previous question on the pending amendment and the bill and the main question was ordered.

Question first recurring on the amendment, it was adopted.

House bill No. 303 was then finally passed.

Mr. Teer moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed and to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 662 ON SECOND READING.

On motion of Mr. Brown, the regular order of business was suspended to take up and have placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 662, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a board of managers for the State's iron industries and properties in connection therewith at and near Rusk, Texas; providing for the ap-

pointment and prescribing the duties of its members; directing the Prison Commission to transfer possession of said properties to the board of managers herein created; authorizing said board of managers to sell or lease any and all of said property and to collect outstanding obligations heretofore contracted; providing for reports by said board; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, it was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Mr. Brown moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed to engrossment.

The motion to reconsider prevailed.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 502 ON SECOND READING.

On motion of Mr. Sanford, the regular order of business was suspended to take up and have placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 502, A bill to be entitled "An Act requiring official shorthand reporters of any district court of this State on request of the appellant in any case appealed to any Court of Civil Appeals of this State to prepare from his stenographic notes a statement of the facts in such cause in duplicate and narrative form and deliver the same to the appellant or his attorney of record; and providing that where appellant has exercised reasonable diligence to procure from the official shorthand reporter failed to deliver such statement of facts in time for appellant to take the necessary steps to procure and file in the Court of Civil Appeals a statement of facts within the time prescribed by law, that he may file the transcript and the Court of Civil Appeals shall grant appellant such further time as it may deem necessary to file such statement of facts; and further providing that when the Court of Civil Appeals grants appellant further time to prepare and file his statement of facts they shall also grant further time to appellant in which to file his brief, and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House and it was read second time.

Mr. Sanford offered the following (committee) amendment to the bill:

Amend House bill No. 502 by adding to Section 2, at the end of said section after the word "appeals," the following words: "not to exceed sixty days."

The amendment was adopted.

House bill No. 502 was then passed to engrossment.

**MOTION TO TAKE UP HOUSE BILL NO. 35.**

Mr. Teer moved that the regular order of business be suspended to take up and have placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 35, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for uniformity and equalization of taxation; conferring upon the State Tax Board general supervision over the administration of the laws relating to taxation and over assessors and collectors of taxes and county commissioners courts sitting as boards of equalization to the end that assessments of all classes of property for purposes of State taxation shall be made relatively just and equal in the several counties of the State; providing for the review by such State Tax Board of the aggregate assessments of the various classes of property in the several counties and empowering it to raise or lower the valuation of any and all classes of property in any county or counties for purpose of State taxation; prescribing the duties of tax assessors and collectors and the county judge and county commissioners with reference to equalization for purposes of State taxes; providing for a hearing and notice by the county board of equalization before carrying into effect the orders of the State Tax Board with reference to valuations; authorizing the county commissioners court to adopt the valuation fixed in compliance with the orders of the State Tax Board for purposes of taxes other than State taxes and permitting it to adopt a different valuation for purposes of State taxes if it elect to do so; enacting provisions necessary and incident to the subject and purpose of the act; amending Articles 7580 and 7350 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas; making the necessary changes in the laws relating to duties of tax assessors, tax collectors and county boards of equalization and specifying and fixing dates for the performance thereof, so as to carry into effect the provisions of the act; requiring the tax collector in assessing taxes under provisions of law authorizing him to do so to conform to the orders and instructions of the State Tax Board, and making it unlawful for tax collectors to collect any State taxes or other taxes until there has been delivered to them a tax roll in which the State taxes show to have been extended on valuations complying with the orders of the

State Tax Board; providing the mandamus suits by the State Tax Board and prescribing procedure therein and rules governing appeals therefrom; extending time for payments of taxes without penalty if rolls are not completed by the end of the year; authorizing the State Tax Board to prescribe forms and to require descriptions of real estate, and to require that improvements be listed separately from lands and lots on which they are situated in making assessments; providing for the removal of any member of the State Tax Board, assessor or collector of taxes, or county judge or county commissioner who shall wilfully fail or refuse to comply with the provisions of the act; declaring the rule of construction in case of invalidity of any provision of the act; providing the time when the act shall take effect, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith."

The motion was lost.

**SENATE BILL NO. 451 ON SECOND READING.**

On motion of Mr. Brown, the regular order of business was suspended to take up and have placed on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 451, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a board of managers for the State's iron industries and properties in connection therewith at and near Rusk, Texas; providing for the appointment and prescribing the duties of its members; directing the Prison Commission to transfer possession of said properties to the board of managers herein created; authorizing said board of managers to sell any and all of said property and to collect outstanding obligations heretofore contracted; providing for reports by said board; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, it was read second time and was passed to third reading.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 16 ON SECOND READING.**

On motion of Mr. Irwin, the regular order of business was suspended to take up and have placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 16, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 5, of the General Laws of the First Called Session of the Thirty-third Legislature, relating to indeterminate sentences, the purpose of this amendment

being to provide for the discharge of certain convicts under indeterminate sentences upon certain conditions, and providing that this act shall apply to convicts now serving indeterminate sentences in the penitentiary as well as to those who shall hereafter be sentenced to indeterminate terms of imprisonment in the penitentiary."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House and it was read second time.

Mr. Irwin offered the following (committee) amendment to the bill:

Strike out second paragraph of Section 1 and insert in lieu thereof Section 2:

"Section 2. Where the maximum sentence is not four times as great as the minimum sentence, and the convict has served the minimum sentence and has a perfect prison record, or where the maximum sentence is greater than four times the minimum sentence, and the convict has served one-fourth of the maximum sentence and has a perfect prison record, to such convict shall be paroled during good behavior for the balance of the term imposed upon him."

Mr. Irwin offered the following amendment to the amendment:

Amend House bill No. 16, page 2, line 36, by striking out the word "to."

The amendment to the amendment was adopted.

The amendment as amended was then adopted.

Mr. Irwin offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House bill No. 16, page 2, by adding: "Provided that before a parole shall be granted the Board of Pardons shall examine and approve the convict's record, and said board may consider the past record as well as the prison record of convicts."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Wilson offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House bill No. 16 by adding thereto the following: "Provided that the jury shall decide in each case whether the sentence shall be subject to the provisions of this act or not."

On motion of Mr. Irwin, the amendment was tabled.

House bill No. 16 was then passed to engrossment.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 134 ON SECOND READING.

On motion of Mr. Kittrell, by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up and have

placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 134, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the Board of Control, or its successors, to contract for the printing and binding of the reports of the decisions of the Supreme Court and Court of Criminal Appeals of the State of Texas and stipulating the price thereof with a repealing clause."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, it was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 192 ON SECOND READING.

On motion of Mr. Jacks, by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up and have placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 192, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 1521, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, regulating the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court, by striking out subdivision number six (6) of said article as it now exists, and in all other respects by specifically naming the cases in which the Supreme Court is given jurisdiction to grant writs of error, and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, it was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 205 ON SECOND READING.

On motion of Mr. Faulk, by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up and have placed on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 205, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 109, being House bill No. 564, passed at the Regular Session of the Thirty-eighth Legislature of the State of Texas and entitled 'An Act amending Section 6 and 6a of Chapter 8, being House bill No. 45, passed at the First Called Session of the Thirty-seventh Legislature of the State of Texas, and entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 46 of the General Laws of the State of Texas passed at the Regular Session of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, being an act to reorganize the Twenty-eighth Judicial District of the State of Texas," etc., and providing for the changing and fixing the time of holding the courts in the Twenty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, and validating and continuing all processes and writs, bonds, recognizances

and jurors heretofore selected, etc., returnable to the terms of court as they now exist, and continuing in session any court in said district now in session until adjourned by the judge thereof, and declaring an emergency,' and also to amend Chapter 8, being House bill No. 45 passed at the First Called Session of the Thirty-seventh Legislature of the State of Texas, entitled 'An Act to amend Chapter 46 of the General Laws of the State of Texas passed at the Regular Session of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, being an act to reorganize the Twenty-eighth Judicial District of the State of Texas, and to create a criminal district court for the counties of Nueces, Kleberg, Kenedy, Willacy and Cameron and to prescribe the jurisdiction thereof as a criminal court; and also conferring upon said court the power to try and determine divorce causes, and causes for the collection of delinquent taxes, to fix the time for holding the terms thereof; to provide for the appointment and election of the judge thereof; to provide for the sheriff, clerk and attorney thereof, and their election; to limit and conform thereto the jurisdiction of the court of the Twenty-eighth Judicial District of the State of Texas; to conform and validate all writs, processes, bonds, recognizances and drawing of petit and grand juries of such courts to the changes made herein; and to define the jurisdiction of the district court of the Twenty-eighth Judicial District of Texas; to repeal all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency'; to prescribe the time and fix the terms of holding the district courts in the counties composing the Twenty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, and to prescribe the time and fix the terms of holding the criminal district courts in the counties of Nueces, Kleberg, Kenedy, Willacy and Cameron; constituting Nueces, Kleberg and Kenedy counties the Twenty-eighth Judicial District of Texas; continuing in Nueces, Kleberg, Kenedy, Willacy and Cameron counties the criminal district court of such counties; prescribing the jurisdiction of said courts; creating the — judicial district of Texas to be composed of the counties of Willacy and Cameron; providing that the present judge of the Twenty-eighth Judicial District of Texas to continue to hold his office of said court for the term of office to which he was elected in the Twenty-eighth Judicial District of Texas, composed of the counties of Nueces, Kleberg and Kenedy; providing that the present judge of the criminal district court of the counties of

Nueces, Kleberg, Kenedy, Willacy and Cameron to continue to hold office of said court for the term of office to which he was elected; providing that the present district attorney of the criminal district court of the counties of Nueces, Kleberg, Kenedy, Willacy and Cameron to continue as district attorney in said criminal district court for the term of office to which he was elected; to prescribe the time and fix the terms of holding the district courts in the counties composing the — judicial district of Texas; providing for the appointment of a suitable person by the Governor of Texas, or judge of the — judicial district of Texas to hold office until the next general election; providing for the impanelling of grand juries in said criminal district courts; to conform and validate all writs or process from such courts to such changes, as herein made, and to make all process issued or served before this act takes effect, including recognizances and bonds, returnable to the terms of court in said districts, as herein fixed; to validate the summoning of grand and petit jurors in said districts as herein fixed and make same returnable and enforceable in such courts as herein fixed and at the terms of court created by this act; providing that said Twenty-eighth Judicial District Court and said — judicial district court shall give preference to the trial of civil cases other than divorce and tax suits; defining the jurisdiction of said criminal district court; providing for the manner of the transfer and disposition of cases on the docket of the district court of the Twenty-eighth Judicial District in the counties of Willacy and Cameron; repealing Chapter 46 of the General Laws of the State of Texas passed at the Regular Session of the Thirty-fifth Legislature; repealing Chapter 8 of the General Laws of Texas passed at the First Called Session of the Thirty-seventh Legislature; repealing Chapter 109 of the General Laws of the State of Texas passed at the Regular Session of the Thirty-eighth Legislature, and repealing all laws in conflict with this act, and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House and it was read second time.

Mr. Faulk offered the following amendments to the bill:

Amend Senate bill No. 205, as printed, by substituting in lieu of the (committee) amendment the following:

Amend Section 9 of said bill, as printed on page 7, by substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 9. The One Hundred and Third Judicial District of the State of Texas is hereby created and established and shall be composed of the counties of Cameron and Willacy, and the terms of said courts shall be held therein each year as follows:

"In said county of Cameron, on the third Monday in February of each year, and may continue in session eight weeks; on the third Monday in April of each year, and may continue in session eight weeks; on the third Monday in July of each year, and may continue in session eight weeks; on the third Monday in September of each year, and may continue in session eight weeks; on the third Monday in December of each year, and may continue in session eight weeks.

"In said county of Willacy, on the third Monday in June of each year, and may continue in session four weeks; on the third Monday in November of each year, and may continue in session four weeks."

Amend Senate bill No. 205:

(1)

Amend engrossed rider so that it shall read as follows: Amend Senate bill No. 205 by inserting the figures "103rd" in all blank spaces occurring in said bill, including the caption.

(2)

Amend printed bill, page 3, line 38, by striking out the figure "2" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "1" and renumbering the succeeding paragraphs, consecutively, as printed, to correspond, up to and including paragraph 19, so that it would become paragraph 18, omitting word "Sec." in each instance.

(3)

Amend printed bill, page 10, line 4, by striking out the figures "20" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "2."

(4)

Amend printed bill, page 10, line 14, by striking out the figures "21" and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "3."

The amendments were severally adopted.

Senate bill No. 205 was then passed to third reading.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 205 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Faulk moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that

Senate bill No. 205 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—95.

Mr. Speaker.	Kittrell.
Acker.	Laird.
Albritton.	Lane of Hamilton.
Atkinson.	Lipscomb.
Baker of Orange.	Low.
Baker of Panola.	Masterson.
Barker.	McDougald.
Bartlett.	McFarlane.
Bateman.	McGill.
Bean.	Merritt.
Boggs.	Moore.
Bonham.	Morris.
Brown.	Nicholson.
Bryant.	Parish.
Coffey.	Pavlica.
Conway.	Pearce.
Coody.	Petsch.
Covey.	Poage.
Cox of Lamar.	Pool.
Cox of Navarro.	Pope.
Cummings.	Rawlins.
Dale.	Raymer.
Daniels.	Renfro.
Davis of Dallas.	Rice.
Davis of Wood.	Rogers.
DeBerry.	Rowell.
Dinkle.	Rowland.
Donnell.	Runge.
Downs.	Shearer.
Dunn of Falls.	Sheats.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Simmons.
Durham.	Sinks.
Faulk.	Smith of Nueces.
Fields.	Smith of Travis.
Frnka.	Smyth.
Graves.	Sparks.
Gray.	Stautzenberger.
Hall.	Stell.
Harman.	Stevenson.
Harper.	Storey.
Hoskins.	Stout.
Hull.	Strong.
Jacks.	Taylor.
Jasper.	Wallace.
Johnson.	Webb.
Jones.	Wells.
Jordan.	Wester.
Justice.	Wilson.
King.	

Nays—6.

Avis.	Veatch.
Finlay.	Walker.
Perdue.	Westbrook.

Present—Not Voting.

Farrar.	High.
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Absent.

Alexander of Bastrop.	Alexander of Limestone.
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Amsler.	Loftin.	Purl.	Sparks.
Barron.	Mankin.	Rawlins.	Stautzenberger.
Bedford.	Maxwell.	Raymer.	Stell.
Bird.	McBride.	Renfro.	Stevenson.
Blount.	McDonald.	Rice.	Storey.
Bobbitt.	McKean.	Rogers.	Stout.
Cade.	McNatt.	Rowell.	Strong.
Carter.	Montgomery.	Rowland.	Taylor.
Chitwood.	Powell.	Runge.	Teer.
Dielmann.	Purl.	Sanford.	Tomme.
Dunlap.	Robinson.	Shearer.	Wallace.
Enderby.	Sanford.	Sheats.	Webb.
Florence.	Simpson.	Simmons.	Wells.
Foster.	Stevens.	Sinks.	Wester.
Hagaman.	Teer.	Smith of Nueces.	Wilson.
Hollowell.	Thompson.	Smith of Travis.	Young.
Irwin.	Tomme.	Smyth.	
Kayton.	Wade.		Nays—6.
Kemble.	Williamson.		
Kenyon.	Woodruff.	Atkinson.	Veatch.
Kinnear.	Young.	Avis.	Walker.
Lane of Harrison.		Lane of Hamilton.	Westbrook.

The Speaker then laid Senate bill No. 205 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—105.

Mr. Speaker.	Florence.
Acker.	Frnka.
Albritton.	Graves.
Alexander	Gray.
of Limestone.	Hagaman.
Baker of Orange.	Hall.
Baker of Panola.	Harman.
Barker.	Harper.
Barron.	Hoskins.
Bartlett.	Hull.
Bateman.	Irwin.
Bean.	Jacks.
Bedford.	Jasper.
Boggs.	Johnson.
Bonham.	Jones.
Brown.	Jordan.
Bryant.	Justice.
Coffey.	King.
Conway.	Kittrell.
Coody.	Laird.
Covey.	Lane of Harrison.
Cox of Lamar.	Lipscomb.
Cox of Navarro.	Low.
Cummings.	Mankin.
Dale.	Masterson.
Daniels.	McDougald.
Davis of Wood.	McGill.
DeBerry.	Merritt.
Dinkle.	Moore.
Donnell.	Morris.
Downs.	Nicholson.
Dunn of Falls.	Parish.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Pavlica.
Durham.	Pearce.
Faulk.	Petsch.
Fields.	Poage.
Finlay.	Pope.

Present—Not Voting.

Farrar. High.

Absent.

Alexander	Loftin.
of Bastrop.	Maxwell.
Amsler.	McDonald.
Bird.	McFarlane.
Blount.	McKean.
Bobbitt.	McNatt.
Cade.	Montgomery.
Carter.	Perdue.
Chitwood.	Pool.
Davis of Dallas.	Powell.
Dielmann.	Robinson.
Dunlap.	Simpson.
Enderby.	Stevens.
Foster.	Thompson.
Hollowell.	Wade.
Kayton.	Williamson.
Kemble.	Woodruff.
Kenyon.	

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear. McBride.

#### MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Senate Chamber,  
Austin, Texas, March 14, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has refused to concur in House amendments to Senate bill No. 35 and requests the House for the appointment of a Free Conference Committee to adjust the differences. The following are appointed as conferees on the part of the Senate:

Senators Triplett, Fairchild, Parr, Lewis and Moore of Hunt.

The Senate has adopted the Free Conference Committee report on Senate bill No. 310.

The Senate has agreed to concur in House amendments to Senate bill No. 228.

The Senate has refused to pass finally Senate bill No. 199 by vote of 14 yeas and 15 nays.

Respectfully,  
MORRIS C. HANKINS,  
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 449 ON SECOND READING.

(By Unanimous Consent.)

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 449, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a more efficient road system for Wood county; making the county commissioners ex-officio road supervisors for their respective precincts in said county; defining their powers and duties as such supervisors; providing for their compensation as such; providing for the working of hands on public roads who fail to pay road tax provided for herein; providing that no hands shall be apportioned to work on any highway maintained by the State of Texas; providing that hands subject to road duty may be apportioned to roads in the precincts of their residence other than public roads nearest to them; providing for the working of county convicts upon the public roads; providing for notice to be served upon hands subject to road duty, and penalty for violating such notice; providing for the collection and disbursement of certain moneys and the payment of fees for services rewarded in connection herewith by certain county officials; prohibiting the use of any of the property belonging to Wood county, to be used in its road work, for any private purpose, and fixing penalties for violation of this act; and penalties for the enforcement of the provisions of this act; providing that if any of the provisions of this act shall be declared unconstitutional, that the remainder of said act shall remain in force and effect; declaring the provisions of this act cumulative of all general laws of the State of Texas upon this subject, and for the repeal of all special road laws heretofore enacted for Wood county, and parts hereof, when in conflict with any of the provisions of this act, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 449 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Davis of Wood moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate bill No. 449 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—100.

Mr. Speaker.	King.
Acker.	Laird.
Albritton.	Lane of Harrison.
Alexander	Lipscomb.
of Limestone.	Low.
Atkinson.	Mankin.
Avis.	Masterson.
Baker of Orange.	McGill.
Baker of Panola.	Moore.
Barker.	Morris.
Barron.	Nicholson.
Bateman.	Parish.
Bean.	Pavlica.
Bedford.	Pearce.
Boggs.	Perdue.
Bonham.	Petsch.
Brown.	Poage.
Bryant.	Pool.
Coffey.	Pope.
Conway.	Rawlins.
Coody.	Raymer.
Covey.	Renfro.
Cox of Navarro.	Rogers.
Cummings.	Rowell.
Dale.	Rowland.
Daniels.	Runge.
Davis of Wood.	Sanford.
DeBerry.	Shearer.
Dinkle.	Sheats.
Donnell.	Simmons.
Downs.	Smith of Nueces.
Dunn of Falls.	Sparks.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Stautzenberger.
Farrar.	Stell.
Faulk.	Stevenson.
Fields.	Storey.
Finlay.	Stout.
Frnka.	Strong.
Gray.	Taylor.
Hall.	Teer.
Harman.	Thompson.
Harper.	Tomme.
High.	Veatch.
Hoskins.	Walker.
Hull.	Wallace.
Jacks.	Webb.
Jasper.	Wells.
Johnson.	Westbrook.
Jones.	Wester.
Jordan.	Wilson.
Justice.	Young.

## Nays—1.

Graves.

Present—Not Voting.

Lane of Hamilton.

Absent.

Alexander	Kenyon.
of Bastrop.	Kittrell.
Amsler.	Loftin.
Bartlett.	Maxwell.
Bird.	McDonald.
Blount.	McDougald.
Bobbitt.	McFarlane.
Cade.	McKean.
Carter.	McNatt.
Chitwood.	Merritt.
Cox of Lamar.	Montgomery.
Davis of Dallas.	Powell.
Dielmann.	Purl.
Dunlap.	Rice.
Durham.	Robinson.
Enderby.	Simpson.
Florence.	Sinks.
Foster.	Smith of Travis.
Hagaman.	Smyth.
Hollowell.	Stevens.
Irwin.	Wade.
Kayton.	Williamson.
Kemble.	Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.

McBride.

The Speaker then laid Senate bill No. 449 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas—106.

Mr. Speaker.	Daniels.
Acker.	Davis of Dallas.
Alexander	Davis of Wood.
of Limestone.	DeBerry.
Atkinson.	Dinkle.
Avis.	Donnell.
Baker of Orange.	Downs.
Baker of Panola.	Dunn of Falls.
Barker.	Dunn of Hopkins.
Bartlett.	Durham.
Bateman.	Enderby.
Bean.	Farrar.
Bedford.	Finlay.
Boggs.	Frnka.
Bonham.	Graves.
Brown.	Gray.
Bryant.	Hagaman.
Coffey.	Hall.
Conway.	Harman.
Coody.	Harper.
Covey.	High.
Cox of Navarro.	Hoskins.
Cummings.	Irwin.
Dale.	Jasper.

Johnson.	Rice.
Jones.	Rogers.
Jordan.	Rowell.
Justice.	Rowland.
King.	Runge.
Kittrell.	Shearer.
Laird.	Sheats.
Lane of Hamilton.	Simmons.
Lane of Harrison.	Smith of Nueces.
Lipscomb.	Smith of Travis.
Low.	Sparks.
Mankin.	Stautzenberger.
Masterson.	Stell.
McDougald.	Stevenson.
McGill.	Storey.
Merritt.	Stout.
Moore.	Strong.
Morris.	Taylor.
Nicholson.	Thompson.
Parish.	Tomme.
Pavlica.	Veatch.
Pearce.	Wade.
Perdue.	Walker.
Petsch.	Wallace.
Poage.	Webb.
Pool.	Wells.
Pope.	Westbrook.
Purl.	Wester.
Rawlins.	Wilson.
Raymer.	Young.
Renfro.	

Absent.

Albritton.	Kayton.
Alexander	Kemble.
of Bastrop.	Kenyon.
Amsler.	Loftin.
Barron.	Maxwell.
Bird.	McDonald.
Blount.	McFarlane.
Bobbitt.	McKean.
Cade.	McNatt.
Carter.	Montgomery.
Chitwood.	Powell.
Cox of Lamar.	Robinson.
Dielmann.	Sanford.
Dunlap.	Simpson.
Faulk.	Sinks.
Fields.	Smyth.
Florence.	Stevens.
Foster.	Teer.
Hollowell.	Williamson.
Hull.	Woodruff.
Jacks.	

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.

McBride.

## BILLS ORDERED NOT PRINTED.

On motion of Mr. DeBerry, House bills Nos. 682 and 685 and Senate bills Nos. 440 and 445 were ordered not printed.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 350 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House,

on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 350, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create the Zephyr Independent School District in Brown and Mills counties, Texas, including therein the present Zephyr Independent School District No. 39 in Brown and Mills counties; providing a board of trustees therefor; vesting said independent school district board of trustees with all the rights, powers, privileges and duties conferred upon independent school districts incorporated under the general laws of Texas," etc.

The bill was read second time and failed to pass to engrossment.

Mr. Renfro moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill failed to pass to engrossment and to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed.

#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON HOUSE BILL NO. 249.

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time, the Conference Committee report on House bill No. 249, the report having heretofore been submitted to the House.

Mr. Masterson moved the previous question on the adoption of the report, and the main question was ordered.

On motion of Mr. Wallace, the report was adopted.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 612 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 612, A bill to be entitled "An Act requiring the screening of irrigation ditches to prevent fish escaping from other waters and coming into the waters of such irrigation ditches; making it an offense to violate or fail to comply with this act; providing that the act shall apply to Tom Green, Howard, Reagan, Glasscock, Irion and Sterling counties only; prescribing penalties, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Boggs offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House bill No. 612 by striking out the names of the following counties where they appear in bill and caption: "Howard, Sterling, Reagan, Glasscock and Irion."

The amendment was adopted.

House bill No. 612 was then passed to engrossment.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 612 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Boggs moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 612 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—98.

Mr. Speaker.	Low.
Albritton.	Masterson.
Alexander	McDougald.
of Limestone.	McGill.
Avis.	Merritt.
Baker of Orange.	Montgomery.
Barker.	Morris.
Barron.	Nicholson.
Bateman.	Parish.
Bean.	Pavlica.
Boggs.	Pearce.
Bonham.	Perdue.
Brown.	Petsch.
Bryant.	Poage.
Coffey.	Pool.
Conway.	Pope.
Coody.	Rawlins.
Covey.	Raymer.
Cox of Lamar.	Renfro.
Cox of Navarro.	Rice.
Cummings.	Robinson.
Dale.	Rogers.
Davis of Dallas.	Rowell.
Davis of Wood.	Rowland.
DeBerry.	Runge.
Dinkle.	Sanford.
Donnell.	Sheats.
Downs.	Simmons.
Dunn of Falls.	Smith of Nueces.
Enderby.	Smith of Travis.
Fields.	Smyth.
Finlay.	Stautzenberger.
Frnka.	Stell.
Graves.	Stevenson.
Gray.	Storey.
Hagaman.	Stout.
Harper.	Strong.
High.	Taylor.
Hoskins.	Thompson.
Hull.	Tomme.
Irwin.	Veatch.
Jacks.	Wade.
Johnson.	Walker.
Jones.	Wallace.
Jordan.	Webb.
Justice.	Wells.
Kittrell.	Westbrook.
Laird.	Wester.
Lane of Hamilton.	Wilson.
Lane of Harrison.	Young.
Lipscomb.	

## Nays—2.

Hall.	Harman.
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## Absent.

Acker.	Jasper.
Alexander	Kayton.
of Bastrop.	Kemble.
Amsler.	Kenyon.
Atkinson.	King.
Baker of Panola.	Loftin.
Bartlett.	Mankin.
Bedford.	Maxwell.
Bird.	McDonald.
Blount.	McFarlane.
Bobbitt.	McKean.
Cade.	McNatt.
Carter.	Moore.
Chitwood.	Powell.
Daniels.	Purl.
Dielmann.	Shearer.
Dunlap.	Simpson.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Sinks.
Durham.	Sparks.
Farrar.	Stevens.
Faulk.	Teer.
Florence.	Williamson.
Foster.	Woodruff.
Hollowell.	

## Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.	McBride.
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The Speaker then laid House bill No. 612 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 644 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 644, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 77, Section 1, of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Thirty-eighth Legislature, preventing the sale of bass, white perch, crappie, channel or other catfish in the counties of Mills and Bell."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Mr. Young moved a call of the House for the purpose of maintaining a quorum until 5 o'clock p. m. today, and the call was duly seconded.

The Speaker then directed the Doorkeeper to close the main entrance to the Hall and instructed the Sergeant-at-Arms to lock all other doors leading from the Hall, and stated that no member would be permitted to leave the Hall without written permission from the Speaker.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 644 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Renfro moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 644 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—103.

Mr. Speaker.	Lipscomb.
Albritton.	Loftin.
Alexander	Low.
of Limestone.	Mankin.
Atkinson.	Masterson.
Avis.	Maxwell.
Baker of Orange.	McDougald.
Baker of Panola.	McGill.
Barker.	Merritt.
Bartlett.	Montgomery.
Bateman.	Moore.
Bean.	Morris.
Bedford.	Parish.
Boggs.	Pavlica.
Bonham.	Pearce.
Brown.	Perdue.
Bryant.	Petsch.
Coffey.	Pool.
Conway.	Pope.
Coody.	Rawlins.
Covey.	Raymer.
Cox of Lamar.	Renfro.
Cox of Navarro.	Rice.
Cummings.	Robinson.
Dale.	Rogers.
Daniels.	Rowell.
Davis of Dallas.	Rowland.
DeBerry.	Runge.
Downs.	Sanford.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Shearer.
Durham.	Sheats.
Enderby.	Simmons.
Farrar.	Sinks.
Fields.	Smith of Nueces.
Finlay.	Smith of Travis.
Frnka.	Stautzenberger.
Gray.	Stevens.
Hagaman.	Stevenson.
Hall.	Storey.
Harper.	Taylor.
High.	Thompson.
Hoskins.	Tomme.
Hull.	Veatch.
Irwin.	Walker.
Jasper.	Wallace.
Johnson.	Webb.
Jones.	Wells.
Jordan.	Westbrook.
Justice.	Wester.
King.	Williamson.
Laird.	Wilson.
Lane of Hamilton.	Young.
Lane of Harrison.	

## Absent.

Acker.	Jacks.
Alexander	Kayton.
of Bastrop.	Kemble.
Amsler.	Kenyon.
Barron.	Kittrell.
Bird.	McDonald.
Blount.	McFarlane.
Bobbitt.	McKean.
Cade.	McNatt.
Carter.	Nicholson.
Chitwood.	Poage.
Davis of Wood.	Powell.
Dielmann.	Purl.
Dinkle.	Simpson.
Donnell.	Smyth.
Dunlap.	Sparks.
Dunn of Falls.	Stell.
Faulk.	Stout.
Florence.	Strong.
Foster.	Teer.
Graves.	Wade.
Harman.	Woodruff.
Hollowell.	

## Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.	McBride.
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The Speaker then laid House bill No. 644 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas—101.

Mr. Speaker.	Enderby.
Acker.	Faulk.
Alexander	Fields.
of Limestone.	Finlay.
Atkinson.	Frnka.
Avis.	Graves.
Baker of Orange.	Gray.
Baker of Panola.	Hagaman.
Barker.	Hall.
Barron.	Harper.
Bartlett.	High.
Bateman.	Hoskins.
Bean.	Hull.
Bedford.	Irwin.
Boggs.	Jacks.
Bonham.	Jasper.
Brown.	Johnson.
Bryant.	Jones.
Coffey.	Justice.
Conway.	King.
Coody.	Laird.
Covey.	Lane of Hamilton.
Cox of Navarro.	Lane of Harrison.
Daniels.	Lipscomb.
Davis of Dallas.	Loftin.
DeBerry.	Low.
Dinkle.	Mankin.
Downs.	Masterson.
Dunn of Falls.	Maxwell.
Dunn of Hopkins.	McDonald.
Durham.	McDougald.

McGill.	Simmons.
Merritt.	Sinks.
Montgomery.	Smith of Nueces.
Moore.	Smith of Travis.
Morris.	Smyth.
Parish.	Sparks.
Pavlica.	Stautzenberger.
Pearce.	Stevens.
Perdue.	Stevenson.
Petsch.	Storey.
Pool.	Taylor.
Pope.	Thompson.
Rawlins.	Veatch.
Rice.	Walker.
Robinson.	Wallace.
Rogers.	Webb.
Rowell.	Wells.
Runge.	Westbrook.
Sanford.	Wester.
Shearer.	Williamson.
Sheats.	Young.

## Present—Not Voting.

Stout.

## Absent.

Albritton.	Kayton.
Alexander	Kemble.
of Bastrop.	Kenyon.
Amsler.	Kittrell.
Bird.	McFarlane.
Blount.	McKean.
Bobbitt.	McNatt.
Cade.	Nicholson.
Carter.	Poage.
Chitwood.	Powell.
Cox of Lamar.	Purl.
Cummings.	Raymer.
Dale.	Renfro.
Davis of Wood.	Rowland.
Dielmann.	Simpson.
Donnell.	Stell.
Dunlap.	Strong.
Farrar.	Teer.
Florence.	Tomme.
Foster.	Wade.
Harman.	Wilson.
Hollowell.	Woodruff.
Jordan.	

## Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.	McBride.
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## HOUSE BILL NO. 655 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 655, A bill to be entitled "An Act exempting Lamar county for a period of five years from the operation of certain of the existing game laws."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 671 ON SECOND  
READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 671, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Pearsall Independent School District."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 671 ON THIRD  
READING.

Mr. Jones moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 671 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—102.

Mr. Speaker.	Hall.
Albritton.	Harman.
Alexander	Harper.
of Bastrop.	High.
Alexander	Hoskins.
of Limestone.	Hull.
Atkinson.	Jacks.
Avis.	Jasper.
Baker of Orange.	Johnson.
Barker.	Jordan.
Barron.	Justice.
Bartlett.	King.
Bateman.	Laird.
Bean.	Lane of Hamilton.
Bedford.	Lane of Harrison.
Boggs.	Lipscomb.
Bonham.	Low.
Brown.	Mankin.
Bryant.	Masterson.
Coffey.	Maxwell.
Conway.	McDonald.
Coody.	McDougald.
Covey.	McFarlane.
Cox of Navarro.	McGill.
Cummings.	Merritt.
Dale.	Montgomery.
Daniels.	Moore.
Davis of Dallas.	Morris.
DeBerry.	Parish.
Dinkle.	Pavlica.
Downs.	Pearce.
Dunn of Falls.	Perdue.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Pool.
Durham.	Pope.
Enderby.	Rawlins.
Farrar.	Renfro.
Faulk.	Rice.
Fields.	Robinson.
Finlay.	Rogers.
Frnka.	Rowell.
Graves.	Runge.
Gray.	Sanford.
Hagaman.	Shearer.

Sheats.  
Simmons.  
Smith of Nueces.  
Smith of Travis.  
Smyth.  
Stautzenberger.  
Stevens.  
Stevenson.  
Storey.  
Stout.

Strong.  
Thompson.  
Veatch.  
Walker.  
Wallace.  
Wells.  
Westbrook.  
Wester.  
Williamson.  
Young.

Absent.

Acker.	Kittrell.
Amsler.	Loftin.
Baker of Panola.	McKean.
Bird.	McNatt.
Blount.	Nicholson.
Bobbitt.	Petsch.
Cade.	Poage.
Carter.	Powell.
Chitwood.	Purl.
Cox of Lamar.	Raymer.
Davis of Wood.	Rowland.
Dielmann.	Simpson.
Donnell.	Sinks.
Dunlap.	Sparks.
Florence.	Stell.
Foster.	Taylor.
Hollowell.	Teer.
Irwin.	Tomme.
Jones.	Wade.
Kayton.	Webb.
Kemble.	Wilson.
Kenyon.	Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear. McBride.

The Speaker then laid House bill No. 671 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—104.

Mr. Speaker.	Covey.
Albritton.	Cox of Navarro.
Alexander	Cummings.
of Limestone.	Dale.
Atkinson.	Daniels.
Avis.	Davis of Dallas.
Baker of Orange.	DeBerry.
Barker.	Dinkle.
Barron.	Downs.
Bartlett.	Dunn of Falls.
Bateman.	Dunn of Hopkins.
Bean.	Durham.
Bedford.	Enderby.
Boggs.	Farrar.
Bonham.	Faulk.
Brown.	Finlay.
Bryant.	Graves.
Coffey.	Hagaman.
Conway.	Hall.
Coody.	Harper.

High.	Pope.
Hoskins.	Rawlins.
Hull.	Renfro.
Irwin.	Rice.
Jacks.	Robinson.
Jasper.	Rogers.
Johnson.	Rowell.
Jones.	Runge.
Jordan.	Sanford.
Justice.	Shearer.
King.	Sheats.
Kittrell.	Simmons.
Laird.	Smith of Nueces.
Lane of Hamilton.	Smith of Travis.
Lane of Harrison.	Smyth.
Lipscomb.	Stautzenberger.
Mankin.	Stevens.
Masterson.	Stevenson.
Maxwell.	Storey.
McDonald.	Strong.
McDougald.	Taylor.
McFarlane.	Thompson.
McGill.	Tomme.
Merritt.	Veatch.
Montgomery.	Walker.
Moore.	Wallace.
Morris.	Webb.
Parish.	Wells.
Pavlica.	Westbrook.
Pearce.	Wester.
Perdue.	Williamson.
Petsch.	Wilson.
Pool.	Young.

Absent.

Acker.	Hollowell.
Alexander	Kayton.
of Bastrop.	Kemble.
Amsler.	Kenyon.
Baker of Panola.	Loftin.
Bird.	Low.
Blount.	McKean.
Bobbitt.	McNatt.
Cade.	Nicholson.
Carter.	Poage.
Chitwood.	Powell.
Cox of Lamar.	Purl.
Davis of Wood.	Raymer.
Dielmann.	Rowland.
Donnell.	Simpson.
Dunlap.	Sinks.
Fields.	Sparks.
Florence.	Stell.
Foster.	Stout.
Frnka.	Teer.
Gray.	Wade.
Harman.	Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear. McBride.

HOUSE BILL NO. 674 ON SECOND  
READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 674, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Lometa Independent School District in Lampasas county."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 674 ON THIRD  
READING.

Mr. Finlay moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 674 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—105.

Mr. Speaker.	Jacks.
Acker.	Jasper.
Albritton.	Johnson.
Alexander	Jones.
of Limestone.	Jordan.
Atkinson.	Justice.
Avis.	King.
Baker of Orange.	Kittrell.
Barker.	Laird.
Barron.	Lane of Hamilton.
Bartlett.	Lane of Harrison.
Bateman.	Lipscomb.
Bean.	Low.
Bedford.	Mankin.
Boggs.	Masterson.
Bonham.	Maxwell.
Brown.	McDonald.
Bryant.	McDougald.
Coffey.	McFarlane.
Conway.	McGill.
Coody.	Merritt.
Covey.	Montgomery.
Cox of Navarro.	Moore.
Cummings.	Parish.
Dale.	Pavlica.
Daniels.	Perdue.
Davis of Dallas.	Petsch.
DeBerry.	Pool.
Dinkle.	Pope.
Downs.	Rawlins.
Dunn of Falls.	Renfro.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Rice.
Durham.	Robinson.
Enderby.	Rogers.
Farrar.	Rowell.
Faulk.	Rowland.
Fields.	Runge.
Finlay.	Sanford.
Frnka.	Shearer.
Graves.	Sheats.
Gray.	Simmons.
Hagaman.	Sinks.
Hall.	Smith of Nueces.
Harman.	Smith of Travis.
Harper.	Smyth.
High.	Stautzenberger.
Hoskins.	Stevenson.
Hull.	Storey.

Stout.	Wallace.
Strong.	Wells.
Taylor.	Westbrook.
Thompson.	Wester.
Tomme.	Williamson.
Walker.	Young.

Nays—1.

Pearce.

Absent.

Alexander	Kenyon.
of Bastrop.	Loftin.
Amsler.	McKean.
Baker of Panola.	McNatt.
Bird.	Morris.
Blount.	Nicholson.
Bobbitt.	Poage.
Cade.	Powell.
Carter.	Purl.
Chitwood.	Raymer.
Cox of Lamar.	Simpson.
Davis of Wood.	Sparks.
Dielmann.	Stell.
Donnell.	Stevens.
Dunlap.	Teer.
Florence.	Veatch.
Foster.	Wade.
Hollowell.	Webb.
Irwin.	Wilson.
Kayton.	Woodruff.
Kemble.	

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.

McBride.

The Speaker then laid House bill No. 674 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—105.

Mr. Speaker.	Dale.
Acker.	Davis of Dallas.
Albritton.	DeBerry.
Alexander	Dinkle.
of Limestone.	Downs.
Atkinson.	Dunn of Falls.
Avis.	Dunn of Hopkins.
Baker of Orange.	Durham.
Barker.	Enderby.
Barron.	Farrar.
Bartlett.	Faulk.
Bateman.	Fields.
Bean.	Finlay.
Bedford.	Frnka.
Boggs.	Graves.
Bonham.	Hagaman.
Brown.	Hall.
Bryant.	Harman.
Chitwood.	High.
Coffey.	Hoskins.
Conway.	Hull.
Coody.	Jacks.
Cox of Navarro.	Jasper.
Cummings.	Johnson.

Jones.	Robinson.
Jordan.	Rogers.
Justice.	Rowell.
King.	Rowland.
Laird.	Runge.
Lane of Hamilton.	Sanford.
Lane of Harrison.	Shearer.
Lipscomb.	Sheats.
Low.	Simmons.
Mankin.	Sinks.
Masterson.	Smith of Nueces.
Maxwell.	Smith of Travis.
McDonald.	Smyth.
McDougald.	Stautzenberger.
McFarlane.	Stevens.
McGill.	Stevenson.
Merritt.	Stout.
Montgomery.	Strong.
Moore.	Taylor.
Morris.	Thompson.
Parish.	Veatch.
Pavlica.	Wade.
Pearce.	Walker.
Petsch.	Wallace.
Pool.	Webb.
Pope.	Wells.
Rawlins.	Wester.
Raymer.	Williamson.
Renfro.	Young.
Rice.	

Nays—1.

Harper.

Absent.

Alexander	Kayton.
of Bastrop.	Kemble.
Amsler.	Kenyon.
Baker of Panola.	Kittrell.
Bird.	Loftin.
Blount.	McKean.
Bobbitt.	McNatt.
Cade.	Nicholson.
Carter.	Perdue.
Covey.	Poage.
Cox of Lamar.	Powell.
Daniels.	Purl.
Davis of Wood.	Simpson.
Dielmann.	Sparks.
Donnell.	Stell.
Dunlap.	Storey.
Florence.	Teer.
Foster.	Tomme.
Gray.	Westbrook.
Hollowell.	Wilson.
Irwin.	Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.

McBride.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 675 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 675, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a more efficient road

system for McCulloch county, Texas; defining the powers and duties of the commissioners court of said county in adopting such system, and providing for the condemnation of lands for opening, changing, widening, ditching, making embankments or fills or draining water away from the public roads in said county; providing for raising or lowering grades, changing and discontinuing of public roads in said county; providing that the commissioners of said county be ex-officio road commissioners, defining their powers and duties, and providing for work overtime; providing that road hands may be assigned to such roads as may be deemed best by the road commissioner of the precinct or the commissioners court of said county; providing for road overseers to call out hands on twenty-four hours' notice, and providing for penalty for failure to call out hands when notified to do so; for the payment of overseers working overtime; for the release of road hands by the payment of money; creating a penal offense for the obstruction of ditches or drainways and diverting surface water or streams into public roads of said county, and providing a penalty; making this law cumulative of the general laws, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Finlay offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend caption of House bill No. 675, beginning on line 29 of caption, by striking out all the words beginning with and including the word "creating," down to and including the word "penalty," on line 33 of caption.

The amendment was adopted.

House bill No. 675 was then passed to engrossment.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 675 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Finlay moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 675 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—112.

Mr. Speaker.	Baker of Panola.
Acker.	Barker.
Albritton.	Barron.
Alexander	Bateman.
of Limestone.	Bean.
Amsler.	Bedford.
Atkinson.	Boggs.
Avis.	Bonham.
Baker of Orange.	Brown.

Bryant.	McFarlane.
Chitwood.	McGill.
Coffey.	Merritt.
Conway.	Montgomery.
Coody.	Moore.
Covey.	Morris.
Cox of Lamar.	Parish.
Cox of Navarro.	Pavlica.
Cummings.	Pearce.
Dale.	Perdue.
Daniels.	Petsch.
Davis of Dallas.	Pool.
DeBerry.	Pope.
Dinkle.	Rawlins.
Downs.	Raymer.
Dunn of Falls.	Renfro.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Rice.
Durham.	Robinson.
Enderby.	Rogers.
Farrar.	Rowell.
Fields.	Rowland.
Finlay.	Runge.
Frnka.	Sanford.
Graves.	Shearer.
Gray.	Sheats.
Hagaman.	Simmons.
Hall.	Sinks.
Harman.	Smith of Nueces.
Harper.	Smith of Travis.
High.	Smyth.
Hoskins.	Stautzenberger.
Hull.	Stevens.
Jacks.	Stevenson.
Jasper.	Storey.
Johnson.	Stout.
Jones.	Strong.
Jordan.	Taylor.
Justice.	Thompson.
King.	Veatch.
Laird.	Walker.
Lane of Hamilton.	Wallace.
Lane of Harrison.	Webb.
Lipscomb.	Wells.
Low.	Westbrook.
Mankin.	Wester.
Masterson.	Williamson.
Maxwell.	Wilson.
McDonald.	Young.
McDougald.	

Absent.

Alexander	Irwin.
of Bastrop.	Kayton.
Bartlett.	Kemble.
Bird.	Kenyon.
Blount.	Kittrell.
Bobbitt.	Loftin.
Cade.	McKean.
Carter.	McNatt.
Davis of Wood.	Nicholson.
Dielmann.	Poage.
Donnell.	Powell.
Dunlap.	Purl.
Faulk.	Simpson.
Florence.	Sparks.
Foster.	Stell.
Hollowell.	Teer.

Tomme. Woodruff.  
Wade. Absent—Excused.

Kinnear. McBride.

The Speaker then laid House bill No. 675 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—114.

Mr. Speaker.	Jordan.
Acker.	Justice.
Albritton.	King.
Alexander	Kittrell.
of Limestone.	Laird.
Atkinson.	Lane of Harrison.
Avis.	Lipscomb.
Baker of Orange.	Low.
Baker of Panola.	Mankin.
Barker.	Masterson.
Barron.	Maxwell.
Bateman.	McDonald.
Bean.	McDougald.
Bedford.	McFarlane.
Boggs.	McGill.
Bonham.	Merritt.
Brown.	Montgomery.
Bryant.	Moore.
Chitwood.	Morris.
Coffey.	Parish.
Conway.	Pavlica.
Coody.	Pearce.
Covey.	Perdue.
Cox of Lamar.	Petsch.
Cox of Navarro.	Pool.
Cummings.	Pope.
Dale.	Purl.
Daniels.	Rawlins.
Davis of Dallas.	Raymer.
DeBerry.	Renfro.
Dinkle.	Rice.
Dunn of Falls.	Robinson.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Rogers.
Durham.	Rowell.
Enderby.	Rowland.
Farrar.	Runge.
Faulk.	Sanford.
Fields.	Shearer.
Finlay.	Sheats.
Frnka.	Simmons.
Graves.	Sinks.
Gray.	Smith of Nueces.
Hagaman.	Smith of Travis.
Hall.	Smyth.
Harman.	Stautzenberger.
Harper.	Stevens.
High.	Stevenson.
Hoskins.	Storey.
Hull.	Stout.
Irwin.	Strong.
Jacks.	Taylor.
Jasper.	Thompson.
Johnson.	Veatch.
Jones.	Walker.

Wallace. Wester.  
Webb. Williamson.  
Wells. Wilson.  
Westbrook. Young.

Absent.

Alexander	Kayton.
of Bastrop.	Kemble.
Amsler.	Kenyon.
Bartlett.	Lane of Hamilton.
Bird.	Loftin.
Blount.	McKean.
Bobbitt.	McNatt.
Cade.	Nicholson.
Carter.	Poage.
Davis of Wood.	Powell.
Dielmann.	Simpson.
Donnell.	Sparks.
Downs.	Stell.
Dunlap.	Teer.
Florence.	Tomme.
Foster.	Wade.
Hollowell.	Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear. McBride.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 676 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 676, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 132, Local and Special Laws, Thirty-fifth Legislature, Regular Session, same being an act creating Pineland Independent School District No. 3 in Sabine county, Texas."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Downs offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House bill No. 676 by striking out all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 1 of Chapter 132, Local and Special Laws, passed in the Regular Session of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 1. That an independent school district is hereby created and established in Sabine county, Texas, to be known as Pineland Independent School District No. 3, which said district shall be described by metes and bounds as follows, to-wit:

Beginning where the Sabine and San Augustine county line crosses the north boundary line of the Henry Williams league; thence south along said county line to the south line of the

David White survey; thence easterly along White south line and north line of B. Lindsey survey to the northeast continuing same course to the east line of Larkin Groos league; thence south along the Gross east line to the north line of James A. Curry league; thence northeast along Curry's north line to corner of Section 40 on Curry's north line; thence northeast along line of said Section 40 to its most easterly corner; thence northwest to its most northerly corner; thence southwest along the line of the John Moore league to its most southerly corner; thence northwest along Moore's south line to its most westerly corner; thence northeast along Moore's west line to northeast corner of the A. J. Lott preemption; thence along Lott's north line to its extreme north corner; thence southwest to its extreme western corner; thence along south line of T. & N. O. Section 25 to its southwest corner and thence west with SB line of T. & N. O. Section 26 to the west boundary line of the right of way of the G. B. & G. N. Ry. Co.; thence in a northwesterly direction with the WB line of the right of way of said railway to an iron stake for a corner in the east boundary line of block 86 which is 32.3 varas from the northeast corner of block 86 of the L. E. Bacon subdivision of the T. & N. O. Section 21; thence due south to the south boundary line of T. & N. O. Ry. Section 26; thence westerly along the south line of the T. & N. O. Section 26 to its southwest corner on the north line of the Thomas Lindsey; thence westerly with the NB line of the Thomas Lindsey and Henry Williams surveys to the place of beginning.

Sec. 2. That Section 2 of said Chapter 132 be amended by adding thereto Section 2a, which will read as follows:

Section 2a. That the territory included in the Pineland Independent School District, by the terms of Section 1 hereof, which is taken from the Common School District No. 31 of Sabine county, Texas, shall remain liable for its pro rata part of the bonded indebtedness of said Common School District No. 31, and said proportion of the said bonded indebtedness shall be in proportion as the assessed value of the above described territory bears to the entire assessed value of the Common School District No. 31, as such values are shown upon the county tax assessor's rolls for the year 1925; the county tax assessor shall assess the part or parcel of District No. 31 that is included in this bill, transferring same to the Pineland Independent School District No. 3, assessing

same at the same valuation as assessed in 1925; and the tax collected by the collector of said territory herein annexed to the Pineland Independent School District shall each year pay to the county depositor to the credit of the Common School District No. 31 said amount collected until all bonded indebtedness now outstanding shall be paid in full.

Sec. 2b. Be it further provided, that the Magnolia Gas Plant property, which is located by this bill one-half in Pineland Independent School District No. 3 and one-half in the Common School District No. 31, be rendered to the county tax assessor annually and he in making the assessment to school districts shall divide equally to both above named schools the amount of taxes to be paid by said Magnolia Gas Plant and each of said districts shall receive to their credit one-half of the amount of the entire valuation of the said Magnolia Gas Company plant.

Sec. 3. That said Section 3 of said Chapter 132 be amended by adding thereto Section 3a, which shall read as follows:

Section 3a. That in addition to the rights, powers, privileges and duties provided for in Section 3 of said act, the trustees of said district are hereby specially authorized to extend the boundaries of said district in accordance with the provisions of Article 2865, Revised Statutes, 1911.

Sec. 4. The importance of the legislation herein proposed to the school interest of the said Pineland Independent School District No. 3 and the crowded condition of the calendar creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that this act take effect and be enforced from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

The amendment was adopted.

House bill No. 676 was then passed to engrossment.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 676 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Downs moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended, and that House bill No. 676 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

## Yeas—108.

Mr. Speaker.	King.
Acker.	Kittrell.
Albritton.	Laird.
Alexander	Lane of Harrison.
of Limestone.	Low.
Atkinson.	Mankin.
Avis.	Masterson.
Baker of Orange.	Maxwell.
Baker of Panola.	McDonald.
Barker.	McDougald.
Barron.	McFarlane.
Bartlett.	McGill.
Bateman.	Merritt.
Bean.	Montgomery.
Bedford.	Moore.
Boggs.	Morris.
Bonham.	Parish.
Brown.	Pavlica.
Bryant.	Pearce.
Chitwood.	Petsch.
Coffey.	Pool.
Conway.	Pope.
Coody.	Rawlins.
Covey.	Raymer.
Cox of Lamar.	Renfro.
Cox of Navarro.	Robinson.
Cummings.	Rogers.
Dale.	Rowell.
Daniels.	Rowland.
Davis of Dallas.	Runge.
DeBerry.	Sanford.
Dinkle.	Shearer.
Downs.	Sheats.
Dunn of Falls.	Simmons.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Sinks.
Durham.	Smith of Nueces.
Enderby.	Smith of Travis.
Farrar.	Smyth.
Faulk.	Stautzenberger.
Fields.	Stevens.
Finlay.	Stevenson.
Frnka.	Storey.
Graves.	Stout.
Gray.	Strong.
Hagaman.	Taylor.
Hall.	Thompson.
Harman.	Veatch.
High.	Walker.
Hoskins.	Wallace.
Hull.	Webb.
Irwin.	Wells.
Jacks.	Westbrook.
Jones.	Wester.
Jordan.	Williamson.
Justice.	Wilson.

## Absent.

Alexander	Davis of Wood.
of Bastrop.	Dielmann.
Amsler.	Donnell.
Bird.	Dunlap.
Blount.	Florence.
Bobbitt.	Foster.
Cade.	Harper.
Carter.	Hollowell.

Jasper.	Poage.
Johnson.	Powell.
Kayton.	Purl.
Kemble.	Rice.
Kenyon.	Simpson.
Lane of Hamilton.	Sparks.
Lipscomb.	Stell.
Loftin.	Teer.
McKean.	Tomme.
McNatt.	Wade.
Nicholson.	Woodruff.
Perdue.	Young.

## Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.	McBride.
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The Speaker then laid House bill No. 676 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas—107.

Mr. Speaker.	Harman.
Acker.	Harper.
Albritton.	High.
Alexander	Hoskins.
of Limestone.	Hull.
Atkinson.	Jacks.
Avis.	Jasper.
Baker of Orange.	Jones.
Baker of Panola.	Jordan.
Barker.	Justice.
Barron.	King.
Bateman.	Kittrell.
Bean.	Laird.
Bedford.	Lane of Hamilton.
Boggs.	Lane of Harrison.
Bonham.	Lipscomb.
Brown.	Low.
Bryant.	Mankin.
Chitwood.	Masterson.
Coffey.	McDonald.
Conway.	McDougald.
Coody.	Merritt.
Covey.	Montgomery.
Cox of Lamar.	Moore.
Cox of Navarro.	Morris.
Cummings.	Parish.
Dale.	Pavlica.
Daniels.	Pearce.
Davis of Dallas.	Petsch.
DeBerry.	Pope.
Dinkle.	Rawlins.
Downs.	Raymer.
Dunn of Falls.	Renfro.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Rice.
Durham.	Robinson.
Enderby.	Rogers.
Farrar.	Rowell.
Faulk.	Rowland.
Fields.	Runge.
Finlay.	Sanford.
Frnka.	Shearer.
Graves.	Sheats.
Hagaman.	Simmons.
Hall.	Sinks.

Smith of Nueces.  
Smith of Travis.  
Smyth.  
Stautzenberger.  
Stevens.  
Stevenson.  
Storey.  
Stout.  
Strong.  
Taylor.  
Thompson.

Veatch.  
Walker.  
Wallace.  
Webb.  
Wells.  
Westbrook.  
Wester.  
Williamson.  
Wilson.  
Young.

Absent.

Alexander  
of Bastrop.  
Amsler.  
Bartlett.  
Bird.  
Blount.  
Bobbitt.  
Cade.  
Carter.  
Davis of Wood.  
Dielmann.  
Donnell.  
Dunlap.  
Florence.  
Foster.  
Gray.  
Hollowell.  
Irwin.  
Johnson.  
Kayton.  
Kemble.

Kenyon.  
Loftin.  
Maxwell.  
McFarlane.  
McGill.  
McKean.  
McNatt.  
Nicholson.  
Perdue.  
Poage.  
Pool.  
Powell.  
Purl.  
Simpson.  
Sparks.  
Stell.  
Teer.  
Tomme.  
Wade.  
Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear. McBride.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 677 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House,  
on its second reading and passage to  
engrossment,

H. B. No. 677, A bill to be entitled  
"An Act to create Henderson Independ-  
ent School District in Concho county,  
Texas."

The bill was read second time and  
was passed to engrossment.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 677 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Parish moved that the constitu-  
tional rule requiring bills to read on  
three several days be suspended and  
that House bill No. 677 be placed on its  
third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following  
vote:

Yeas—107.

Mr. Speaker.  
Acker.  
Albritton.  
Alexander  
of Limestone.

Atkinson.  
Avis.  
Baker of Orange.  
Baker of Panola.  
Barker.

Barron.  
Bateman.  
Bean.  
Bedford.  
Boggs.  
Bonham.  
Brown.  
Bryant.  
Chitwood.  
Coffey.  
Conway.  
Coody.  
Covey.  
Cox of Lamar.  
Cox of Navarro.  
Cummings.  
Dale.  
Daniels.  
Davis of Dallas.  
Dinkle.  
Downs.  
Dunn of Falls.  
Dunn of Hopkins.  
Durham.  
Enderby.  
Farrar.  
Faulk.  
Fields.  
Finlay.  
Frnka.  
Graves.  
Gray.  
Harman.  
Harper.  
High.  
Hoskins.  
Hull.  
Jacks.  
Jasper.  
Johnson.  
Jones.  
Jordan.  
Justice.  
King.  
Kittrell.  
Laird.  
Lane of Hamilton.  
Lane of Harrison.  
Lipscomb.

Low.  
Mankin.  
Masterson.  
Maxwell.  
McDonald.  
McDougald.  
McFarlane.  
McGill.  
Merritt.  
Montgomery.  
Moore.  
Parish.  
Pavlica.  
Pearce.  
Petsch.  
Pope.  
Rawlins.  
Raymer.  
Renfro.  
Rice.  
Robinson.  
Rogers.  
Rowland.  
Runge.  
Sanford.  
Shearer.  
Sheats.  
Simmons.  
Sinks.  
Smith of Nueces.  
Smith of Travis.  
Smyth.  
Stautzenberger.  
Stevenson.  
Storey.  
Stout.  
Strong.  
Taylor.  
Thompson.  
Tomme.  
Veatch.  
Walker.  
Wallace.  
Webb.  
Wells.  
Westbrook.  
Wester.  
Williamson.

Absent.

Alexander  
of Bastrop.  
Amsler.  
Bartlett.  
Bird.  
Blount.  
Bobbitt.  
Cade.  
Carter.  
Davis of Wood.  
DeBerry.  
Dielmann.  
Donnell.  
Dunlap.  
Florence.  
Foster.

Hagaman.  
Hall.  
Hollowell.  
Irwin.  
Kayton.  
Kemble.  
Kenyon.  
Loftin.  
McKean.  
McNatt.  
Morris.  
Nicholson.  
Perdue.  
Poage.  
Pool.  
Powell.

Purl.	Teer.
Rowell.	Wade.
Simpson.	Wilson.
Sparks.	Woodruff.
Stell.	Young.
Stevens.	

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear. McBride.

The Speaker then laid House bill No. 677 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—106.

Mr. Speaker.	Jones.
Acker.	Jordan.
Albritton.	Justice.
Alexander	King.
of Limestone.	Laird.
Atkinson.	Lane of Harrison.
Avis.	Lipscomb.
Baker of Orange.	Low.
Baker of Panola.	Mankin.
Barron.	Masterson.
Bartlett.	Maxwell.
Bateman.	McDonald.
Bean.	McDougald.
Bedford.	McFarlane.
Boggs.	McGill.
Bonham.	Merritt.
Brown.	Montgomery.
Bryant.	Moore.
Chitwood.	Morris.
Conway.	Parish.
Coody.	Pavlica.
Covey.	Pearce.
Cox of Lamar.	Petsch.
Cox of Navarro.	Pope.
Cummings.	Rawlins.
Daniels.	Raymer.
Davis of Dallas.	Renfro.
DeBerry.	Rice.
Dinkle.	Robinson.
Dunn of Falls.	Rogers.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Rowell.
Durham.	Rowland.
Enderby.	Runge.
Farrar.	Sanford.
Faulk.	Shearer.
Fields.	Sheats.
Finlay.	Simmons.
Frnka.	Sinks.
Graves.	Smith of Nueces.
Gray.	Smith of Travis.
Hagaman.	Smyth.
Hall.	Stautzenberger.
Harman.	Stell.
Harper.	Stevens.
High.	Stevenson.
Hoskins.	Storey.
Hull.	Stout.
Jacks.	Strong.
Jasper.	Taylor.
Johnson.	Thompson.

Veatch.	Wells.
Wade.	Westbrook.
Walker.	Wester.
Wallace.	Wilson.
Webb.	Young.

Absent.

Alexander	Kayton.
of Bastrop.	Kemble.
Amsler.	Kenyon.
Barker.	Kittrell.
Bird.	Lane of Hamilton.
Blount.	Loftin.
Bobbitt.	McKean.
Cade.	McNatt.
Carter.	Nicholson.
Coffey.	Perdue.
Dale.	Poage.
Davis of Wood.	Pool.
Dielmann.	Powell.
Donnell.	Purl.
Downs.	Simpson.
Dunlap.	Sparks.
Florence.	Teer.
Foster.	Tomme.
Hollowell.	Williamson.
Irwin.	Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear. McBride.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 678 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 678, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 8, Special Laws of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, Third Called Session, the same being an act creating and establishing the Paint Rock Independent School District in Concho county, Texas."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 678 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Parish moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 678 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—106.

Mr. Speaker.	Baker of Orange.
Acker.	Baker of Panola.
Albritton.	Barker.
Alexander	Barron.
of Limestone.	Bateman.
Atkinson.	Bean.
Avis.	Bedford.

Boggs.	McDonald.
Brown.	McDougald.
Bryant.	McGill.
Chitwood.	Merritt.
Coffey.	Moore.
Conway.	Morris.
Coody.	Parish.
Covey.	Pavlica.
Cox of Lamar.	Pearce.
Cox of Navarro.	Petsch.
Cummings.	Pool.
Dale.	Pope.
Daniels.	Rawlins.
Davis of Dallas.	Raymer.
Davis of Wood.	Renfro.
DeBerry.	Rice.
Dinkle.	Robinson.
Downs.	Rogers.
Dunn of Falls.	Rowell.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Rowland.
Durham.	Runge.
Enderby.	Sanford.
Farrar.	Shearer.
Faulk.	Sheats.
Fields.	Simmons.
Finlay.	Smith of Nueces.
Frnka.	Smith of Travis.
Graves.	Smyth.
Gray.	Stautzenberger.
Hagaman.	Stell.
Harman.	Stevenson.
Harper.	Storey.
Hoskins.	Stout.
Hull.	Strong.
Jacks.	Taylor.
Jasper.	Thompson.
Johnson.	Tomme.
Jordan.	Veatch.
Justice.	Wade.
King.	Walker.
Kittrell.	Wallace.
Laird.	Webb.
Lane of Hamilton.	Wells.
Lane of Harrison.	Westbrook.
Lipscomb.	Wester.
Low.	Wilson.
Masterson.	Young.
Maxwell.	

Absent.

Alexander of Bastrop.	Hollowell.
Amsler.	Irwin.
Bartlett.	Jones.
Bird.	Kayton.
Blount.	Kemble.
Bobbitt.	Kenyon.
Bonham.	Loftin.
Cade.	Mankin.
Carter.	McFarlane.
Dielmann.	McKean.
Donnell.	McNatt.
Dunlap.	Montgomery.
Florence.	Nicholson.
Foster.	Perdue.
Hall.	Poage.
High.	Powell.
	Purl.

Simpson.	Teer.
Sinks.	Williamson.
Sparks.	Woodruff.
Stevens.	

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.	McBride.
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The Speaker then laid House bill No. 678 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—104.

Mr. Speaker.	Kittrell.
Acker.	Laird.
Albritton.	Lane of Hamilton.
Alexander of Limestone.	Lane of Harrison.
Atkinson.	Lipscomb.
Avis.	Low.
Baker of Orange.	Mankin.
Baker of Panola.	Masterson.
Barker.	Maxwell.
Barron.	McDonald.
Bateman.	McDougald.
Bean.	McFarlane.
Bedford.	McGill.
Boggs.	Montgomery.
Bonham.	Moore.
Brown.	Morris.
Bryant.	Parish.
Chitwood.	Pavlica.
Coffey.	Pearce.
Conway.	Petsch.
Coody.	Pool.
Cox of Lamar.	Pope.
Cox of Navarro.	Rawlins.
Cummings.	Raymer.
Dale.	Renfro.
Daniels.	Rice.
Davis of Dallas.	Robinson.
Davis of Wood.	Rogers.
DeBerry.	Rowell.
Dinkle.	Rowland.
Downs.	Runge.
Dunn of Falls.	Sanford.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Shearer.
Durham.	Sheats.
Enderby.	Simmons.
Farrar.	Smith of Nueces.
Faulk.	Smith of Travis.
Fields.	Smyth.
Finlay.	Stautzenberger.
Graves.	Stevenson.
Gray.	Storey.
Harman.	Stout.
High.	Strong.
Hoskins.	Taylor.
Hull.	Thompson.
Jacks.	Tomme.
Jasper.	Veatch.
Johnson.	Walker.
Jordan.	Wallace.
Justice.	Webb.
King.	Wells.
	Westbrook.

Wester.	Young.	Avis.	Lipscomb.
Williamson.		Baker of Orange.	Low.
	Absent.	Baker of Panola.	Mankin.
		Barker.	Masterson.
Alexander	Kayton.	Barron.	Maxwell.
of Bastrop.	Kemble.	Bateman.	McDonald.
Amsler.	Kenyon.	Bean.	McDougald.
Bartlett.	Loftin.	Bedford.	McFarlane.
Bird.	McKean.	Boggs.	McGill.
Blount.	McNatt.	Bonham.	Merritt.
Bobbitt.	Merritt.	Brown.	Moore.
Cade.	Nicholson.	Bryant.	Morris.
Carter.	Perdue.	Chitwood.	Parish.
Covey.	Poage.	Coffey.	Pavlica.
Dielmann.	Powell.	Conway.	Pearce.
Donnell.	Purl.	Coody.	Petsch.
Dunlap.	Simpson.	Cox of Lamar.	Pool.
Florence.	Sinks.	Cox of Navarro.	Pope.
Foster.	Sparks.	Dale.	Rawlins.
Frnka.	Stell.	Daniels.	Raymer.
Hagaman.	Stevens.	Davis of Dallas.	Renfro.
Hall.	Teer.	Davis of Wood.	Rice.
Harper.	Wade.	DeBerry.	Robinson.
Hollowell.	Wilson.	Dinkle.	Rogers.
Irwin.	Woodruff.	Downs.	Rowell.
Jones.		Dunn of Falls.	Rowland.
	Absent—Excused.	Dunn of Hopkins.	Runge.
Kinnear.	McBride.	Durham.	Sanford.
		Enderby.	Shearer.
		Farrar.	Sheats.
		Fields.	Simmons.
		Finlay.	Sinks.
		Frnka.	Smith of Nueces.
		Graves.	Smith of Travis.
		Gray.	Smyth.
		Hall.	Stautzenberger.
		Harman.	Stevens.
		Harper.	Stevenson.
		High.	Storey.
		Hoskins.	Stout.
		Hull.	Strong.
		Jacks.	Taylor.
		Jasper.	Thompson.
		Jones.	Veatch.
		Jordan.	Walker.
		Justice.	Wallace.
		King.	Wells.
		Kittrell.	Westbrook.
		Laird.	Wester.
		Lane of Hamilton.	Wilson.
		Lane of Harrison.	
			Absent.
		Alexander	Dunlap.
		of Bastrop.	Faulk.
		Amsler.	Florence.
		Bartlett.	Foster.
		Bird.	Hagaman.
		Blount.	Hollowell.
		Bobbitt.	Irwin.
		Cade.	Johnson.
		Carter.	Kayton.
		Covey.	Kemble.
		Cummings.	Kenyon.
		Dielmann.	Loftin.
		Donnell.	McKean.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 679 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 679, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 76 of the General Laws of the Regular Session of the Thirty-eighth Legislature, so as to continue the duration and existence of the district court of Stephens county, Ninety-second Judicial District, until April 15, 1925, and providing that as to said district court of Stephens county said Chapter 76 shall continue in force and effect until said time, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 679 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Maxwell moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 679 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—105.

Mr. Speaker.	Alexander
Acker.	of Limestone.
Albritton.	Atkinson.

McNatt.	Stell.
Montgomery.	Teer.
Nicholson.	Tomme.
Perdue.	Wade.
Poage.	Webb.
Powell.	Williamson.
Purl.	Woodruff.
Simpson.	Young.
Sparks.	

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.

McBride.

The Speaker then laid House bill No. 679 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—110.

Mr. Speaker.	Hoskins.
Acker.	Hull.
Albritton.	Jacks.
Alexander	Jasper.
of Limestone.	Johnson.
Atkinson.	Jones.
Avis.	Jordan.
Baker of Orange.	Justice.
Baker of Panola.	King.
Barker.	Laird.
Barron.	Lane of Hamilton.
Bateman.	Lane of Harrison.
Bean.	Lipscomb.
Bedford.	Low.
Boggs.	Mankin.
Bonham.	Masterson.
Brown.	Maxwell.
Bryant.	McDonald.
Chitwood.	McDougald.
Coffey.	McFarlane.
Conway.	McGill.
Coody.	Montgomery.
Covey.	Moore.
Cox of Lamar.	Morris.
Cox of Navarro.	Parish.
Dale.	Pavlica.
Daniels.	Pearce.
Davis of Dallas.	Petsch.
Davis of Wood.	Pool.
DeBerry.	Pope.
Dinkle.	Rawlins.
Downs.	Raymer.
Dunn of Falls.	Renfro.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Rice.
Durham.	Robinson.
Enderby.	Rogers.
Farrar.	Rowell.
Faulk.	Rowland.
Fields.	Runge.
Finlay.	Sanford.
Frnka.	Shearer.
Graves.	Sheats.
Gray.	Simmons.
Hall.	Sinks.
Harman.	Smith of Nueces.
Harper.	Smith of Travis.
High.	Smyth.

Stautzenberger.	Walker.
Stevens.	Wallace.
Stevenson.	Webb.
Storey.	Wells.
Stout.	Westbrook.
Strong.	Wester.
Taylor.	Williamson.
Thompson.	Wilson.
Veatch.	Young.

Absent.

Alexander	Kemble.
of Bastrop.	Kenyon.
Amsler.	Kittrell.
Bartlett.	Loftin.
Bird.	McKean.
Blount.	McNatt.
Bobbitt.	Merritt.
Cade.	Nicholson.
Carter.	Perdue.
Cummings.	Poage.
Dielmann.	Powell.
Donnell.	Purl.
Dunlap.	Simpson.
Florence.	Sparks.
Foster.	Stell.
Hagaman.	Teer.
Hollowell.	Tomme.
Irwin.	Wade.
Kayton.	Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.

McBride.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 683 ON SECOND READING.

Mr. Bonham moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 683 be placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment and on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—110.

Mr. Speaker.	Coffey.
Acker.	Conway.
Albritton.	Coody.
Alexander	Covey.
of Limestone.	Cox of Navarro.
Atkinson.	Cummings.
Avis.	Dale.
Baker of Orange.	Daniels.
Baker of Panola.	Davis of Dallas.
Barker.	Davis of Wood.
Barron.	DeBerry.
Bateman.	Dinkle.
Bean.	Downs.
Bedford.	Dunn of Falls.
Boggs.	Dunn of Hopkins.
Bonham.	Durham.
Brown.	Enderby.
Bryant.	Farrar.
Chitwood.	Faulk.

Fields.	Pool.
Finlay.	Pope.
Frnka.	Rawlins.
Graves.	Raymer.
Gray.	Renfro.
Hagaman.	Rice.
Harman.	Robinson.
Harper.	Rogers.
High.	Rowell.
Hoskins.	Rowland.
Hull.	Runge.
Jacks.	Sanford.
Jasper.	Sheats.
Johnson.	Simmons.
Jones.	Sinks.
Jordan.	Smith of Nueces.
Justice.	Smith of Travis.
King.	Smyth.
Kittrell.	Stautzenberger.
Laird.	Stell.
Lane of Hamilton.	Stevenson.
Lane of Harrison.	Storey.
Lipscomb.	Stout.
Low.	Strong.
Mankin.	Taylor.
Masterson.	Thompson.
McDonald.	Veatch.
McDougald.	Wade.
McFarlane.	Walker.
McGill.	Wallace.
Montgomery.	Webb.
Moore.	Wells.
Morris.	Westbrook.
Parish.	Wester.
Pavlica.	Williamson.
Pearce.	Wilson.
Petsch.	

Absent.

Alexander	Kenyon.
of Bastrop.	Loftin.
Amsler.	Maxwell.
Bartlett.	McKean.
Bird.	McNatt.
Blount.	Merritt.
Bobbitt.	Nicholson.
Cade.	Perdue.
Carter.	Poage.
Cox of Lamar.	Powell.
Dielmann.	Purl.
Donnell.	Shearer.
Dunlap.	Simpson.
Florence.	Sparks.
Foster.	Stevens.
Hall.	Teer.
Hollowell.	Tomme.
Irwin.	Woodruff.
Kayton.	Young.
Kemble.	

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear. McBride.

The Speaker then laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 683, A bill to be entitled

"An Act creating the Bessmay Independent School District."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

### HOUSE BILL NO. 683 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker then laid House bill No. 683 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—104.

Mr. Speaker.	Johnson.
Acker.	Jones.
Albritton.	Jordan.
Alexander	Justice.
of Limestone.	King.
Atkinson.	Kittrell.
Avis.	Laird.
Baker of Orange.	Lane of Hamilton.
Baker of Panola.	Lane of Harrison.
Barker.	Lipscomb.
Barron.	Mankin.
Bartlett.	Masterson.
Bateman.	Maxwell.
Bean.	McDonald.
Bedford.	McDougald.
Boggs.	McFarlane.
Bonham.	McGill.
Brown.	Moore.
Bryant.	Morris.
Chitwood.	Parish.
Coffey.	Pavlica.
Conway.	Pearce.
Coody.	Petsch.
Covey.	Pool.
Cox of Lamar.	Pope.
Cox of Navarro.	Rawlins.
Dale.	Raymer.
Daniels.	Renfro.
Davis of Dallas.	Rice.
Davis of Wood.	Robinson.
DeBerry.	Rogers.
Dinkle.	Rowell.
Downs.	Rowland.
Dunn of Falls.	Runge.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Sanford.
Durham.	Sheats.
Enderby.	Simmons.
Farrar.	Sinks.
Faulk.	Smith of Nueces.
Fields.	Smith of Travis.
Finlay.	Smyth.
Frnka.	Stell.
Graves.	Stevenson.
Gray.	Stout.
Hagaman.	Strong.
Hall.	Taylor.
Harper.	Thompson.
Hoskins.	Veatch.
Hull.	Walker.
Jacks.	Wallace.
Jasper.	Webb.

Westbrook.  
Wester.

Williamson.  
Young.

Absent.

Alexander  
of Bastrop.  
Amsler.  
Bird.  
Blount.  
Bobbitt.  
Cade.  
Carter.  
Cummings.  
Dielmann.  
Donnell.  
Dunlap.  
Florence.  
Foster.  
Harman.  
High.  
Hollowell.  
Irwin.  
Kayton.  
Kemble.  
Kenyon.  
Loftin.

Low.  
McKean.  
McNatt.  
Merritt.  
Montgomery.  
Nicholson.  
Perdue.  
Poage.  
Powell.  
Purl.  
Shearer.  
Simpson.  
Sparks.  
Stautzenberger.  
Stevens.  
Storey.  
Teer.  
Tomme.  
Wade.  
Wells.  
Wilson.  
Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.

McBride.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 16 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Irwin moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 16 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—98.

Mr. Speaker.  
Acker.  
Alexander  
of Limestone.  
Atkinson.  
Avis.  
Baker of Orange.  
Barker.  
Barron.  
Bartlett.  
Bateman.  
Bean.  
Boggs.  
Brown.  
Bryant.  
Chitwood.  
Coffey.  
Conway.  
Coody.  
Covey.  
Cox of Navarro.  
Cummings.  
Dale.  
Daniels.  
Davis of Dallas.

Davis of Wood.  
Dinkle.  
Downs.  
Dunn of Falls.  
Dunn of Hopkins.  
Durham.  
Enderby.  
Faulk.  
Fields.  
Finlay.  
Frnka.  
Graves.  
Hagaman.  
Harper.  
High.  
Hoskins.  
Irwin.  
Jacks.  
Jasper.  
Johnson.  
Jones.  
Jordan.  
Justice.  
King.  
Kittrell.

Laird.  
Lane of Harrison.  
Lipscomb.  
Low.  
Mankin.  
Masterson.  
Maxwell.  
McDonald.  
McDougald.  
Merritt.  
Montgomery.  
Moore.  
Pavlica.  
Pearce.  
Perdue.  
Petsch.  
Poage.  
Pool.  
Pope.  
Rawlins.  
Renfro.  
Rice.  
Robinson.  
Rogers.  
Rowell.

Rowland.  
Runge.  
Sanford.  
Shearer.  
Sheats.  
Simmons.  
Smith of Nueces.  
Smith of Travis.  
Smyth.  
Stautzenberger.  
Stell.  
Stevens.  
Stevenson.  
Storey.  
Strong.  
Thompson.  
Veatch.  
Walker.  
Wallace.  
Webb.  
Wells.  
Westbrook.  
Wester.  
Williamson.  
Young.

Nays—12.

Albritton.  
Hull.  
McGill.  
Morris.  
Parish.  
Raymer.

Sparks.  
Stout.  
Taylor.  
Tomme.  
Wade.  
Wilson.

Present—Not Voting.

DeBerry.

Farrar.

Absent.

Alexander  
of Bastrop.  
Amsler.  
Baker of Panola.  
Bedford.  
Bird.  
Blount.  
Bobbitt.  
Bonham.  
Cade.  
Carter.  
Cox of Lamar.  
Dielmann.  
Donnell.  
Dunlap.  
Florence.  
Foster.  
Gray.

Hall.  
Harman.  
Hollowell.  
Kayton.  
Kemble.  
Kenyon.  
Lane of Hamilton.  
Loftin.  
McFarlane.  
McKean.  
McNatt.  
Nicholson.  
Powell.  
Purl.  
Simpson.  
Sinks.  
Teer.  
Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.

McBride.

The Speaker then laid House bill No. 16 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time.

Mr. Stout offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House bill No. 16 by striking out the enacting clause.

Mr. Wells moved the previous question on the pending amendment and the bill, and the main question was ordered.

Question recurring on the amendment, it was lost.

House bill No. 16 was then finally passed by the following vote:

Yeas—94.

Albritton.	Johnson.
Alexander	King.
of Limestone.	Kittrell.
Atkinson.	Laird.
Avis.	Lane of Hamilton.
Baker of Panola.	Lipscomb.
Barker.	Mankin.
Barron.	Masterson.
Bartlett.	Maxwell.
Bean.	McFarlane.
Boggs.	Merritt.
Bonham.	Montgomery.
Brown.	Moore.
Bryant.	Pavlica.
Chitwood.	Pearce.
Coffey.	Petsch.
Conway.	Poage.
Coody.	Pool.
Covey.	Pope.
Cox of Lamar.	Rawlins.
Cox of Navarro.	Raymer.
Cummings.	Renfro.
Dale.	Rice.
Daniels.	Robinson.
Davis of Dallas.	Rogers.
Davis of Wood.	Rowell.
DeBerry.	Sanford.
Dinkle.	Shearer.
Donnell.	Sheats.
Downs.	Simmons.
Dunn of Falls.	Sinks.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Smith of Nueces.
Durham.	Smith of Travis.
Enderby.	Smyth.
Faulk.	Stell.
Finlay.	Stevens.
Florence.	Stevenson.
Frnka.	Strong.
Graves.	Thompson.
Gray.	Tomme.
Harman.	Veatch.
Harper.	Wade.
High.	Wallace.
Hoskins.	Webb.
Hull.	Wells.
Irwin.	Wester.
Jacks.	Williamson.
Jasper.	Young.

Nays—22.

Acker.	Bedford.
Baker of Orange.	Farrar.

Fields.	Morris.
Hagaman.	Parish.
Jones.	Perdue.
Jordan.	Runge.
Justice.	Sparks.
Loftin.	Storey.
Low.	Stout.
McDougald.	Walker.
McGill.	Wilson.

Present—Not Voting.

Bateman.	Westbrook.
Lane of Harrison.	

Absent.

Alexander	Kemble.
of Bastrop.	Kenyon.
Amsler.	McDonald.
Bird.	McKean.
Blount.	McNatt.
Bobbitt.	Nicholson.
Cade.	Powell.
Carter.	Purl.
Dielmann.	Rowland.
Dunlap.	Simpson.
Foster.	Stautzenberger.
Hall.	Taylor.
Hollowell.	Teer.
Kayton.	Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.	McBride.
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#### SENATE BILL NO. 445 ON SECOND READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 445, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating and incorporating the Bullard Independent School District lying in the counties of Smith and Cherokee, in the State of Texas; defining the boundaries thereof; providing for a board of trustees thereof; placing said independent district under the control of the general laws governing independent districts; providing that no outstanding indebtedness of the Bullard Independent District be invalidated; providing for the annexation of territory, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 445 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Brown moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate bill No. 445 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—110.

Mr. Speaker.	Lane of Hamilton.
Acker.	Lane of Harrison.
Albritton.	Lipscomb.
Alexander	Loftin.
of Limestone.	Low.
Atkinson.	Mankin.
Avis.	Masterson.
Baker of Panola.	Maxwell.
Barker.	McDonald.
Bartlett.	McGill.
Bateman.	Merritt.
Bean.	Montgomery.
Bedford.	Moore.
Boggs.	Morris.
Bonham.	Parish.
Brown.	Pavlica.
Bryant.	Pearce.
Chitwood.	Perdue.
Coffey.	Petsch.
Conway.	Poage.
Coody.	Pool.
Covey.	Pope.
Cox of Lamar.	Rawlins.
Cox of Navarro.	Raymer.
Cummings.	Renfro.
Dale.	Rice.
Davis of Dallas.	Rogers.
Davis of Wood.	Rowell.
DeBerry.	Rowland.
Dinkle.	Runge.
Donnell.	Sanford.
Downs.	Shearer.
Dunn of Falls.	Sheats.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Simmons.
Durham.	Sinks.
Enderby.	Smith of Nueces.
Farrar.	Smith of Travis.
Faulk.	Sparks.
Fields.	Stautzenberger.
Finlay.	Stell.
Florence.	Stevenson.
Frnka.	Storey.
Graves.	Stout.
Gray.	Strong.
Harman.	Thompson.
Hoskins.	Tomme.
Hull.	Veatch.
Jacks.	Walker.
Jasper.	Wallace.
Johnson.	Webb.
Jones.	Wells.
Jordan.	Westbrook.
Justice.	Wester.
King.	Wilson.
Kittrell.	Young.
Laird.	

Nays—1.

Smyth.

Absent.

Alexander	Amsler.
of Bastrop.	Baker of Orange.

Barron.	Kemble.
Bird.	Kenyon.
Blount.	McDougald.
Bobbitt.	McFarlane.
Cade.	McKean.
Carter.	McNatt.
Daniels.	Nicholson.
Dielmann.	Powell.
Dunlap.	Purl.
Foster.	Robinson.
Hagaman.	Simpson.
Hall.	Stevens.
Harper.	Taylor.
High.	Teer.
Hollowell.	Wade.
Irwin.	Williamson.
Kayton.	Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.	McBride.
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The Speaker then laid Senate bill No. 445 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—100.

Mr. Speaker.	Finlay.
Acker.	Florence.
Albritton.	Graves.
Alexander	Gray.
of Limestone.	Harman.
Atkinson.	Hoskins.
Avis.	Hull.
Baker of Orange.	Jacks.
Baker of Panola.	Johnson.
Barker.	Jones.
Bartlett.	Jordan.
Bateman.	Justice.
Bean.	Laird.
Bedford.	Lane of Hamilton.
Boggs.	Lane of Harrison.
Brown.	Lipscomb.
Bryant.	Low.
Chitwood.	Mankin.
Coffey.	Masterson.
Conway.	McDonald.
Coody.	McGill.
Covey.	Merritt.
Cox of Lamar.	Montgomery.
Cox of Navarro.	Moore.
Cummings.	Morris.
Dale.	Parish.
Davis of Dallas.	Pavlica.
Davis of Wood.	Pearce.
DeBerry.	Perdue.
Dinkle.	Petsch.
Donnell.	Poage.
Downs.	Pool.
Dunn of Falls.	Pope.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Rawlins.
Durham.	Renfro.
Enderby.	Rice.
Farrar.	Robinson.
Fields.	Rogers.

Rowell.	Strong.
Rowland.	Taylor.
Sanford.	Thompson.
Shearer.	Tomme.
Sheats.	Veatch.
Simmons.	Walker.
Sinks.	Wallace.
Smith of Nueces.	Webb.
Smith of Travis.	Wells.
Stautzenberger.	Westbrook.
Stell.	Wester.
Stevenson.	Wilson.
Storey.	Young.
Stout.	

Absent.

Alexander	Kemble.
of Bastrop.	Kenyon.
Amsler.	King.
Barron.	Kittrell.
Bird.	Loftin.
Blount.	Maxwell.
Bobbitt.	McDougald.
Bonham.	McFarlane.
Cade.	McKean.
Carter.	McNatt.
Daniels.	Nicholson.
Dielmann.	Powell.
Dunlap.	Purl.
Faulk.	Raymer.
Foster.	Runge.
Frnka.	Simpson.
Hagaman.	Smyth.
Hall.	Sparks.
Harper.	Stevens.
High.	Teer.
Hollowell.	Wade.
Irwin.	Williamson.
Jasper.	Woodruff.
Kayton.	

Absent—Excused.

Kinneear. McBride.

SENATE BILL NO. 440 ON SECOND  
READING.

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 440, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 75 of the Acts of the Third Called Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, creating the Emory Independent School District, by adding thereto Section 14, permitting adjoining territory to be incorporated in the Emory Independent School District, upon petition of qualified voters adjoining said school district, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 440 ON THIRD  
READING.

Mr. Dinkle moved that the constitu-

tional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate bill No. 440 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—102.

Mr. Speaker.	Laird.
Acker.	Lane of Harrison.
Albritton.	Lipscomb.
Alexander	Loftin.
of Limestone.	Mankin.
Atkinson.	Masterson.
Avis.	McDonald.
Baker of Panola.	McDougald.
Barker.	McGill.
Bateman.	Merritt.
Bean.	Moore.
Bedford.	Morris.
Boggs.	Parish.
Brown.	Pavlica.
Bryant.	Pearce.
Chitwood.	Perdue.
Coffey.	Pope.
Conway.	Rawlins.
Coody.	Renfro.
Covey.	Rice.
Cox of Lamar.	Robinson.
Cox of Navarro.	Rogers.
Cummings.	Rowell.
Dale.	Rowland.
Daniels.	Runge.
Davis of Dallas.	Sanford.
Davis of Wood.	Shearer.
DeBerry.	Sheats.
Dinkle.	Simmons.
Donnell.	Sinks.
Downs.	Smith of Nueces.
Dunn of Falls.	Smith of Travis.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Smyth.
Durham.	Sparks.
Enderby.	Stautzenberger.
Farrar.	Stell.
Fields.	Stevenson.
Finlay.	Storey.
Florence.	Strong.
Frnka.	Taylor.
Graves.	Thompson.
Gray.	Veatch.
Hagaman.	Wade.
Harper.	Walker.
Hoskins.	Wallace.
Hull.	Webb.
Jacks.	Wells.
Jasper.	Westbrook.
Johnson.	Wester.
Jones.	Williamson.
Jordan.	Wilson.
Kittrell.	Young.

Nays—1.

Justice.

Present—Not Voting.

Stout.

## Absent.

Alexander	Kemble.
of Bastrop.	Kenyon.
Amsler.	King.
Baker of Orange.	Lane of Hamilton.
Barron.	Low.
Bartlett.	Maxwell.
Bird.	McFarlane.
Blount.	McKean.
Bobbitt.	McNatt.
Bonham.	Montgomery.
Cade.	Nicholson.
Carter.	Petsch.
Dielmann.	Poage.
Dunlap.	Pool.
Faulk.	Powell.
Foster.	Purl.
Hall.	Raymer.
Harman.	Simpson.
High.	Stevens.
Hollowell.	Teer.
Irwin.	Tomme.
Kayton.	Woodruff.

## Absent—Excused.

Kinnear. McBride.

The Speaker then laid Senate bill No. 440 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas—100.

Mr. Speaker.	Durham.
Albritton.	Enderby.
Alexander	Farrar.
of Limestone.	Finlay.
Atkinson.	Florence.
Avis.	Frnka.
Baker of Panola.	Graves.
Barker.	Gray.
Bateman.	Hagaman.
Bean.	Harper.
Bedford.	Hoskins.
Boggs.	Hull.
Brown.	Jacks.
Bryant.	Jasper.
Chitwood.	Johnson.
Coffey.	Jones.
Conway.	Jordan.
Coody.	Justice.
Covey.	King.
Cox of Lamar.	Kittrell.
Cummings.	Laird.
Dale.	Lane of Hamilton.
Daniels.	Lane of Harrison.
Davis of Dallas.	Lipscomb.
Davis of Wood.	Mankin.
DeBerry.	Masterson.
Dinkle.	McDonald.
Donnell.	McDougald.
Downs.	McGill.
Dunn of Falls.	Merritt.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Montgomery.

Moore.	Smith of Nueces.
Morris.	Stautzenberger.
Parish.	Stell.
Pavlica.	Stevens.
Pearce.	Stevenson.
Perdue.	Storey.
Petsch.	Strong.
Poage.	Taylor.
Pope.	Thompson.
Rawlins.	Tomme.
Renfro.	Veatch.
Rice.	Walker.
Robinson.	Wallace.
Rogers.	Webb.
Rowell.	Wells.
Rowland.	Westbrook.
Runge.	Wester.
Sanford.	Williamson.
Sheats.	Wilson.
Simmons.	Young.
Sinks.	

## Absent.

Acker.	Kayton.
Alexander	Kemble.
of Bastrop.	Kenyon.
Amsler.	Loftin.
Baker of Orange.	Low.
Barron.	Maxwell.
Bartlett.	McFarlane.
Bird.	McKean.
Blount.	McNatt.
Bobbitt.	Nicholson.
Bonham.	Pool.
Cade.	Powell.
Carter.	Purl.
Cox of Navarro.	Raymer.
Dielmann.	Shearer.
Dunlap.	Simpson.
Faulk.	Smith of Travis.
Fields.	Smyth.
Foster.	Sparks.
Hall.	Stout.
Harman.	Teer.
High.	Wade.
Hollowell.	Woodruff.
Irwin.	

## Absent—Excused.

Kinnear. McBride.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 682 ON SECOND READING.

Mr. Wade moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 682 be placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment and on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

## Yeas—106.

Mr. Speaker.	Alexander
Acker.	of Limestone.
Albritton.	Atkinson.

Avis.	Mankin.
Baker of Orange.	Masterson.
Baker of Panola.	McDonald.
Barron.	McDougald.
Bateman.	McGill.
Bean.	Merritt.
Bedford.	Montgomery.
Boggs.	Moore.
Brown.	Morris.
Bryant.	Parish.
Chitwood.	Pavlica.
Coffey.	Pearce.
Conway.	Petsch.
Coody.	Poage.
Covey.	Pool.
Cox of Lamar.	Pope.
Cox of Navarro.	Rawlins.
Cummings.	Renfro.
Dale.	Rice.
Daniels.	Robinson.
Davis of Dallas.	Rogers.
Davis of Wood.	Rowell.
DeBerry.	Rowland.
Dinkle.	Runge.
Donnell.	Sanford.
Downs.	Shearer.
Dunn of Falls.	Sheats.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Simmons.
Durham.	Sinks.
Enderby.	Smith of Nueces.
Farrar.	Smyth.
Fields.	Stautzenberger.
Finlay.	Stell.
Florence.	Stevens.
Frnka.	Stevenson.
Graves.	Storey.
Gray.	Stout.
Harper.	Strong.
Hoskins.	Taylor.
Hull.	Thompson.
Jacks.	Tomme.
Jasper.	Veatch.
Johnson.	Wade.
Jones.	Walker.
Jordan.	Wallace.
King.	Webb.
Laird.	Wells.
Lane of Hamilton.	Westbrook.
Lane of Harrison.	Wester.
Lipscomb.	Williamson.
Loftin.	Young.

Present—Not Voting.

Justice.

Absent.

Alexander	Carter.
of Bastrop.	Dielmann.
Amsler.	Dunlap.
Barker.	Faulk.
Bartlett.	Foster.
Bird.	Hagaman.
Blount.	Hall.
Bobbitt.	Harman.
Bonham.	High.
Cade.	Hollowell.

Irwin.	Perdue.
Kayton.	Powell.
Kemble.	Purl.
Kenyon.	Raymer.
Kittrell.	Simpson.
Low.	Smith of Travis.
Maxwell.	Sparks.
McFarlane.	Teer.
McKean.	Wilson.
McNatt.	Woodruff.
Nicholson.	

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear. McBride.

The Speaker then laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 682, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Tolosa Independent School District."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Wade offered the following amendment to the bill:

Beginning where Caney Creek crosses the west boundary line of the John Sweezey survey on the Henderson and Kaufman county line, thence south with the meanders of said Caney Creek 5560 varas to where same crosses the south boundary line of the J. T. Traylor survey; thence east with the south boundary line of the J. T. Traylor and the Wm. Bever surveys to the southeast corner of said Bever survey and the southwest corner of the Henry Jeffries league; thence north with the west boundary line of said Jeffries league, 2000 varas to the northwest corner of same; thence east with the north boundary line of the Henry Jeffries and the D. O. Williams No. 20 surveys, 6400 varas to a point 600 varas west of the northeast corner of said D. O. Williams survey, said point being the southwest corner of the J. E. Murphy one hundred tract on the S. B. Giles survey; thence north with the west boundary line of said Murphy 100-acre tract of land; thence north with the west boundary line of said Murphy 100-acre tract and the west boundary line of the J. A. Johnson 40-acre tract on said Giles survey 2000 varas to the north boundary line of said Giles survey and the south boundary line of the John Baker survey on the Henderson and Kaufman county lines; thence east with the south boundary line of said Baker survey and the Henderson and Kaufman county lines 600 varas to the northwest corner of the Victor Parnell survey in Henderson county, and at the southwest corner of a 100-acre tract in the name of W. S. Brewer on the John Baker survey in Kaufman county.

Thence north with the west boundary line of said Brewer 100-acre tract and continuing on north with the west boundary line of the J. F. Thomas 100-acre tract 1500 varas to the northwest corner of said Thomas 100-acre tract; thence east with the north boundary line of said J. F. Thomas 100-acre tract 875 varas to the northeast corner of same on the west boundary line of the J. W. Young 100-acre tract; thence north with the the west boundary line of said Young 100-acre tract 750 varas to the northwest corner of same; thence east with the north boundary line of said Young 100-acre tract and continuing on east with the north boundary line of two others tracts of 50 acres each in the name of J. W. Young and the E. R. Thompkins 172-acre tract 2500 varas to the west boundary line of the A. Hicks survey and continuing on due east to King's Creek at a point in the eastern part of the A. Hicks survey; thence up said creek in a northwesterly direction with the meanders of same to the southeast corner of Push College School District No. 26 on the line between the land M. H. Gossett and J. A. Graves; thence west with the line of Push College School District to corner on the west line of the John Baker survey and on the east line of the J. A. Graves 140-acre tract of the James Sharp survey; thence north with the line of the John Baker and James Sharp surveys to the southeast corner of the Guthrie place.

Thence west to the southwest corner of the Guthrie place which is also the northeast corner of the D. C. McNair place; thence south 265 varas to an inside corner of said McNair place; thence east 26 varas to the second northeast corner of said McNair place; thence south 520½ varas to the southeast corner of said McNair place on the north line of the J. M. Murphy place; thence west with said line 1091 varas to the east line of Walter Lightfoot place; thence south to the south boundary line of the James Sharp survey; thence west with said line to the northeast corner of the D. O. Williams survey; thence south 2390 varas to the southeast corner of said Williams survey on the Henderson and Kaufman county lines; thence west with said Henderson and Kaufman county line 6000 varas to where Caney Creek crosses said Henderson and Kaufman county line, the place of beginning.

## In Kaufman County.

Survey:	Acres.
Jno. Baker League.....	2,540
James Sharp League.....	878
Jno. Hendricks .....	1,200
A. Hicks.....	370
A. Owens.....	12

Total in Kaufman County.... 5,000

## In Henderson County.

Wm. Hardeman.....	640
Jno. Smith.....	320
Wm. Beaus.....	160
Wm. Lundy.....	640
J. F. Traylor.....	40
S. B. Giles.....	1,280
D. O. Williams.....	640

Total in Henderson County.... 3,720

Grand total in Henderson and Kaufman counties, 8,720 acres, or 13.6 square miles.

The amendment was adopted.

House bill No. 682 was then passed to engrossment.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 682 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker then laid House bill No. 682 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—105.

Mr. Speaker.	Davis of Wood.
Acker.	DeBerry.
Albritton.	Dinkle.
Alexander	Donnell.
of Limestone.	Downs.
Atkinson.	Dunn of Falls.
Avis.	Dunn of Hopkins.
Baker of Orange.	Durham.
Baker of Panola.	Enderby.
Barker.	Farrar.
Bateman.	Fields.
Bean.	Finlay.
Bedford.	Florence.
Boggs.	Frnka.
Brown.	Graves.
Bryant.	Gray.
Chitwood.	Hagaman.
Coffey.	Harper.
Conway.	Hoskins.
Coody.	Hull.
Covey.	Jacks.
Cox of Lamar.	Jasper.
Cox of Navarro.	Johnson.
Cummings.	Jones.
Dale.	Jordan.
Daniels.	King.
Davis of Dallas.	Laird.

Lane of Harrison.	Shearer.
Lipscomb.	Sheats.
Mankin.	Simmons.
Masterson.	Sinks.
McDonald.	Smith of Nueces.
McGill.	Smith of Travis.
Merritt.	Smyth.
Montgomery.	Stautzenberger.
Moore.	Stell.
Morris.	Stevens.
Parish.	Stevenson.
Pavlica.	Storey.
Pearce.	Strong.
Perdue.	Taylor.
Petsch.	Thompson.
Poage.	Tomme.
Pool.	Veatch.
Pope.	Wade.
Rawlins.	Walker.
Renfro.	Wallace.
Rice.	Webb.
Robinson.	Wells.
Rogers.	Westbrook.
Rowell.	Wester.
Rowland.	Williamson.
Runge.	Young.
Sanford.	

Nays—1.

Lane of Hamilton.

Present—Not Voting.

Justice.

Absent.

Alexander	Kemble.
of Bastrop.	Kenyon.
Amsler.	Kittrell.
Barron.	Loftin.
Bartlett.	Low.
Bird.	Maxwell.
Blount.	McDougald.
Bobbitt.	McFarlane.
Bonham.	McKean.
Cade.	McNatt.
Carter.	Nicholson.
Dielmann.	Powell.
Dunlap.	Purl.
Faulk.	Raymer.
Foster.	Simpson.
Hall.	Sparks.
Harman.	Stout.
High.	Teer.
Hollowell.	Wilson.
Irwin.	Woodruff.
Kayton.	

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear. McBride.

HOUSE BILL NO. 685 ON SECOND  
READING.

Mr. Gray moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 685 be placed on its sec-

ond reading and passage to engrossment and on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—105.

Mr. Speaker.	Lipscomb.
Acker.	Loftin.
Albritton.	Low.
Alexander	Mankin.
of Limestone.	Masterson.
Atkinson.	McDonald.
Avis.	McDougald.
Baker of Orange.	McGill.
Baker of Panola.	Merritt.
Barker.	Montgomery.
Bateman.	Moore.
Bean.	Morris.
Bedford.	Parish.
Boggs.	Pavlica.
Brown.	Pearce.
Bryant.	Perdue.
Chitwood.	Petsch.
Coffey.	Poage.
Conway.	Pool.
Coody.	Pope.
Covey.	Rawlins.
Cox of Lamar.	Raymer.
Cox of Navarro.	Renfro.
Dale.	Rice.
Daniels.	Robinson.
Davis of Dallas.	Rogers.
Davis of Wood.	Rowell.
DeBerry.	Rowland.
Dinkle.	Runge.
Donnell.	Sanford.
Downs.	Shearer.
Dunn of Falls.	Sheats.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Sinks.
Durham.	Smith of Nueces.
Enderby.	Smyth.
Farrar.	Stautzenberger.
Faulk.	Stell.
Fields.	Stevens.
Finlay.	Stevenson.
Florence.	Storey.
Frnka.	Stout.
Graves.	Strong.
Gray.	Thompson.
Harper.	Tomme.
Hoskins.	Veatch.
Hull.	Walker.
Jacks.	Wallace.
Jones.	Webb.
Jordan.	Wells.
Justice.	Westbrook.
King.	Wester.
Laird.	Williamson.
Lane of Harrison.	Young.

Absent.

Alexander	Bartlett.
of Bastrop.	Bird.
Amsler.	Blount.
Barron.	Bobbitt.

Bonham.	Kittrell.
Cade.	Lane of Hamilton.
Carter.	Maxwell.
Cummings.	McFarlane.
Dielmann.	McKean.
Dunlap.	McNatt.
Foster.	Nicholson.
Hagaman.	Powell.
Hall.	Purl.
Harman.	Simmons.
High.	Simpson.
Hollowell.	Smith of Travis.
Irwin.	Sparks.
Jasper.	Taylor.
Johnson.	Teer.
Kayton.	Wade.
Kemble.	Wilson.
Kenyon.	Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear. McBride.

The Speaker then laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 685, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Lipscomb Independent School District."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 685 ON THIRD READING.

The Speaker then laid House bill No. 685 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—102.

Mr. Speaker.	Cummings.
Acker.	Dale.
Albritton.	Daniels.
Alexander	DeBerry.
of Limestone.	Dinkle.
Atkinson.	Donnell.
Avis.	Dunn of Falls.
Baker of Orange.	Dunn of Hopkins.
Baker of Panola.	Durham.
Barker.	Enderby.
Bartlett.	Farrar.
Bateman.	Fields.
Bean.	Finlay.
Bedford.	Florence.
Boggs.	Frnka.
Brown.	Graves.
Bryant.	Gray.
Chitwood.	Harper.
Coffey.	Hoskins.
Conway.	Hull.
Coody.	Jacks.
Covey.	Johnson.
Cox of Lamar.	Jones.
Cox of Navarro.	Jordan.

Justice.	Rowland.
King.	Runge.
Laird.	Sanford.
Lane of Harrison.	Shearer.
Lipscomb.	Sheats.
Loftin.	Simmons.
Mankin.	Sinks.
Masterson.	Smith of Nueces.
McDonald.	Smith of Travis.
McDougald.	Smyth.
McGill.	Stautzenberger.
Montgomery.	Stell.
Moore.	Stevens.
Morris.	Stevenson.
Parish.	Storey.
Pavlica.	Stout.
Pearce.	Strong.
Perdue.	Taylor.
Petsch.	Thompson.
Pool.	Tomme.
Pope.	Veatch.
Rawlins.	Walker.
Raymer.	Webb.
Renfro.	Wells.
Rice.	Westbrook.
Robinson.	Wester.
Rogers.	Williamson.
Rowell.	Young.

Absent.

Alexander	Jasper.
of Bastrop.	Kayton.
Amsler.	Kemble.
Barron.	Kenyon.
Bird.	Kittrell.
Blount.	Lane of Hamilton.
Bobbitt.	Low.
Bonham.	Maxwell.
Cade.	McFarlane.
Carter.	McKean.
Davis of Dallas.	McNatt.
Davis of Wood.	Merritt.
Dielmann.	Nicholson.
Downs.	Poage.
Dunlap.	Powell.
Faulk.	Purl.
Foster.	Simpson.
Hagaman.	Sparks.
Hall.	Teer.
Harman.	Wade.
High.	Wallace.
Hollowell.	Wilson.
Irwin.	Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear. McBride.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 502 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Sanford moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 502 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—97.

Mr. Speaker.	Lane of Harrison.
Acker.	Lipscomb.
Alexander	Loftin.
of Limestone.	Mankin.
Avis.	Masterson.
Baker of Orange.	McDonald.
Baker of Panola.	McDougald.
Bartlett.	Merritt.
Bateman.	Montgomery.
Bean.	Moore.
Boggs.	Nicholson.
Brown.	Parish.
Bryant.	Pavlica.
Chitwood.	Pearce.
Coffey.	Perdue.
Conway.	Poage.
Coody.	Pool.
Covey.	Pope.
Cox of Lamar.	Rawlins.
Cox of Navarro.	Raymer.
Cummings.	Renfro.
Dale.	Rice.
Daniels.	Robinson.
Davis of Dallas.	Rogers.
Davis of Wood.	Rowland.
DeBerry.	Runge.
Dinkle.	Sanford.
Donnell.	Shearer.
Downs.	Sheats.
Dunn of Falls.	Simmons.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Smith of Nueces.
Durham.	Smyth.
Enderby.	Sparks.
Fields.	Stautzenberger.
Finlay.	Stell.
Florence.	Stevenson.
Frnka.	Storey.
Graves.	Stout.
Gray.	Strong.
Harper.	Taylor.
Hoskins.	Thompson.
Hull.	Veatch.
Jacks.	Wade.
Johnson.	Wallace.
Jones.	Webb.
Jordan.	Wells.
Justice.	Westbrook.
King.	Wester.
Kittrell.	Young.
Laird.	

Nays—6.

Albritton.	McGill.
Atkinson.	Morris.
Bedford.	Walker.

Present—Not Voting.

Farrar.	Lane of Hamilton.
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Absent.

Alexander	Amsler.
of Bastrop.	Barker.

Barron.	Kenyon.
Bird.	Low.
Blount.	Maxwell.
Bobbitt.	McFarlane.
Bonham.	McKean.
Cade.	McNatt.
Carter.	Petsch.
Dielmann.	Powell.
Dunlap.	Purl.
Faulk.	Rowell.
Foster.	Simpson.
Hagaman.	Sinks.
Hall.	Smith of Travis.
Harman.	Stevens.
High.	Teer.
Hollowell.	Tomme.
Irwin.	Williamson.
Jasper.	Wilson.
Kayton.	Woodruff.
Kemble.	

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.	McBride.
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The Speaker then laid House bill No. 502 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—100.

Mr. Speaker.	Finlay.
Acker.	Florence.
Albritton.	Frnka.
Alexander	Graves.
of Limestone.	Gray.
Avis.	Hall.
Baker of Orange.	Harper.
Baker of Panola.	High.
Barker.	Hoskins.
Bateman.	Hull.
Bean.	Jacks.
Bedford.	Johnson.
Boggs.	Jones.
Brown.	Jordan.
Bryant.	Justice.
Chitwood.	King.
Coffey.	Kittrell.
Conway.	Lane of Hamilton.
Coody.	Lane of Harrison.
Covey.	Lipscomb.
Cox of Lamar.	Loftin.
Cox of Navarro.	Low.
Cummings.	Masterson.
Daniels.	McDonald.
Davis of Dallas.	McDougald.
Davis of Wood.	McGill.
DeBerry.	Montgomery.
Dinkle.	Moore.
Donnell.	Nicholson.
Downs.	Parish.
Dunn of Falls.	Pavlica.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Pearce.
Durham.	Poage.
Enderby.	Pool.
Faulk.	Pope.
Fields.	Rawlins.

Renfro.	Stell.
Rice.	Stevenson.
Robinson.	Storey.
Rogers.	Stout.
Rowell.	Strong.
Rowland.	Thompson.
Runge.	Veatch.
Sanford.	Walker.
Shearer.	Wallace.
Sheats.	Webb.
Simmons.	Wells.
Sinks.	Westbrook.
Smith of Nueces.	Wester.
Smyth.	Williamson.
Stautzenberger.	Young.

Nays—3.

Atkinson.	Laird.
Dale.	

Present—Not Voting.

Farrar.	Absent.
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Alexander	Mankin.
of Bastrop.	Maxwell.
Amsler.	McFarlane.
Barron.	McKean.
Bartlett.	McNatt.
Bird.	Merritt.
Blount.	Morris.
Bobbitt.	Perdue.
Bonham.	Petsch.
Cade.	Powell.
Carter.	Purl.
Dielmann.	Raymer.
Dunlap.	Simpson.
Foster.	Smith of Travis.
Hagaman.	Sparks.
Harman.	Stevens.
Hollowell.	Taylor.
Irwin.	Teer.
Jasper.	Tomme.
Kayton.	Wade.
Kemble.	Wilson.
Kenyon.	Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.	McBride.
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## SENATE BILL NO. 451 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Brown moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate bill No. 451 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—94.

Mr. Speaker.	Baker of Orange.
Alexander	Baker of Panola.
of Limestone.	Barker.
Atkinson.	Bateman.

Bean.	Moore.
Boggs.	Morris.
Bonham.	Nicholson.
Brown.	Parish.
Chitwood.	Pavlica.
Coffey.	Petsch.
Conway.	Poage.
Coody.	Pool.
Covey.	Pope.
Cox of Lamar.	Rawlins.
Cox of Navarro.	Raymer.
Cummings.	Renfro.
Dale.	Rice.
Daniels.	Robinson.
Davis of Dallas.	Rogers.
Davis of Wood.	Rowell.
Dinkle.	Rowland.
Donnell.	Runge.
Downs.	Sanford.
Dunn of Falls.	Shearer.
Durham.	Sheats.
Enderby.	Simmons.
Faulk.	Sinks.
Fields.	Smith of Nueces.
Finlay.	Smith of Travis.
Florence.	Sparks.
Graves.	Stautzenberger.
Gray.	Stell.
Harper.	Stevens.
High.	Stevenson.
Jacks.	Storey.
Jasper.	Strong.
Johnson.	Taylor.
Jordan.	Teer.
Justice.	Tomme.
King.	Veatch.
Laird.	Wade.
Lane of Hamilton.	Walker.
Lane of Harrison.	Wallace.
Lipscomb.	Webb.
Loftin.	Wells.
Low.	Westbrook.
Masterson.	Wester.
McDougald.	Young.
Montgomery.	

Nays—12.

Albritton.	Kittrell.
Bedford.	McGill.
Bryant.	Pearce.
Hall.	Perdue.
Hoskins.	Thompson.
Hull.	Williamson.

Present—Not Voting.

Avis.	Farrar.
DeBerry.	Stout.

Absent.

Acker.	Bird.
Alexander	Blount.
of Bastrop.	Bobbitt.
Amsler.	Cade.
Barron.	Carter.
Bartlett.	Dielmann.

Dunlap.	Maxwell.
Dunn of Hopkins.	McDonald.
Foster.	McFarlane.
Frnka.	McKean.
Hagaman.	McNatt.
Harman.	Merritt.
Hollowell.	Powell.
Irwin.	Purl.
Jones.	Simpson.
Kayton.	Smyth.
Kemble.	Wilson.
Kenyon.	Woodruff.
Mankin.	

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear. McBride.

The Speaker then laid Senate bill No. 451 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—78.

Acker.	Low.
Alexander	Masterson.
of Limestone.	McDougald.
Baker of Orange.	Merritt.
Baker of Panola.	Montgomery.
Barron.	Morris.
Boggs.	Nicholson.
Brown.	Parish.
Chitwood.	Perdue.
Coffey.	Petsch.
Conway.	Poage.
Covey.	Pope.
Cox of Navarro.	Rawlins.
Cummings.	Raymer.
Daniels.	Renfro.
Davis of Dallas.	Rice.
Dinkle.	Robinson.
Donnell.	Rowell.
Downs.	Rowland.
Dunn of Falls.	Runge.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Sanford.
Faulk.	Shearer.
Finlay.	Sheats.
Florence.	Sinks.
Frnka.	Smith of Nueces.
Graves.	Smith of Travis.
Gray.	Stautzenberger.
Hagaman.	Stevenson.
Harman.	Storey.
Harper.	Strong.
Jacks.	Taylor.
Johnson.	Tomme.
Jones.	Veatch.
Jordan.	Wade.
Justice.	Wallace.
King.	Wells.
Laird.	Westbrook.
Lane of Harrison.	Wilson.
Lipscomb.	Young.
Loftin.	

Nays—30.

Albritton. Atkinson.

Avis.	Hoskins.
Barker.	Hull.
Bateman.	McDonald.
Bean.	McGill.
Bedford.	Moore.
Bryant.	Pavlica.
Coody.	Pearce.
Cox of Lamar.	Simmons.
Dale.	Stout.
Davis of Wood.	Thompson.
DeBerry.	Walker.
Durham.	Webb.
Enderby.	Wester.
Fields.	Williamson.

Present—Not Voting.

Farrar.	Lane of Hamilton.
Hall.	Stell.
High.	

Absent.

Alexander	Kenyon.
of Bastrop.	Kittrell.
Amsler.	Mankin.
Bartlett.	Maxwell.
Bird.	McFarlane.
Blount.	McKean.
Bobbitt.	McNatt.
Bonham.	Pool.
Cade.	Powell.
Carter.	Purl.
Dielmann.	Rogers.
Dunlap.	Simpson.
Foster.	Smyth.
Hollowell.	Sparks.
Irwin.	Stevens.
Jasper.	Teer.
Kayton.	Woodruff.
Kemble.	

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear. McBride.

## SENATE BILL NO. 192 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Jacks moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate bill No. 192 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—101.

Mr. Speaker.	Boggs.
Acker.	Bonham.
Albritton.	Chitwood.
Alexander	Coffey.
of Limestone.	Conway.
Baker of Orange.	Coody.
Baker of Panola.	Cox of Lamar.
Barker.	Cox of Navarro.
Bateman.	Dale.
Bean.	Daniels.
Bedford.	Davis of Dallas.

Davis of Wood.	Nicholson.
DeBerry.	Parish.
Dinkle.	Pavlica.
Donnell.	Pearce.
Downs.	Petsch.
Dunn of Falls.	Poage.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Pool.
Durham.	Pope.
Enderby.	Purl.
Farrar.	Rawlins.
Finlay.	Renfro.
Florence.	Rice.
Frnka.	Robinson.
Gray.	Rowell.
Hagaman.	Rowland.
Hall.	Runge.
Harman.	Sanford.
Harper.	Shearer.
High.	Sheats.
Hoskins.	Simmons.
Hull.	Sinks.
Jacks.	Smith of Nueces.
Jasper.	Smith of Travis.
Johnson.	Smyth.
Jordan.	Stautzenberger.
Justice.	Stell.
King.	Stevenson.
Laird.	Storey.
Lipscomb.	Stout.
Loftin.	Strong.
Low.	Thompson.
Masterson.	Tomme.
McDonald.	Veatch.
McDougald.	Wade.
McFarlane.	Webb.
McGill.	Wells.
Merritt.	Westbrook.
Montgomery.	Wester.
Moore.	Williamson.
Morris.	Young.

## Nays—4.

Lane of Hamilton.	Raymer.
Perdue.	Walker.

## Absent.

Alexander	Foster.
of Bastrop.	Graves.
Amsler.	Hollowell.
Atkinson.	Irwin.
Avis.	Jones.
Barron.	Kayton.
Bartlett.	Kemble.
Bird.	Kenyon.
Blount.	Kittrell.
Bobbitt.	Lane of Harrison.
Brown.	Mankin.
Bryant.	Maxwell.
Cade.	McKean.
Carter.	McNatt.
Covey.	Powell.
Cummings.	Rogers.
Dielmann.	Simpson.
Dunlap.	Sparks.
Faulk.	Stevens.
Fields.	Taylor.

Teer.	Wilson.
Wallace.	Woodruff.

## Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.	McBride.
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The Speaker then laid Senate bill No. 192 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 655 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Stell moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 655 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—95.

Mr. Speaker.	King.
Acker.	Laird.
Alexander	Lane of Harrison.
of Limestone.	Lipscomb.
Atkinson.	Loftin.
Baker of Orange.	Low.
Baker of Panola.	McDougald.
Barker.	Merritt.
Bateman.	Montgomery.
Bean.	Moore.
Bedford.	Nicholson.
Boggs.	Parish.
Chitwood.	Pavlica.
Coffey.	Pearce.
Conway.	Perdue.
Coody.	Petsch.
Covey.	Pool.
Cox of Navarro.	Pope.
Dale.	Rawlins.
Daniels.	Raymer.
Davis of Wood.	Renfro.
DeBerry.	Robinson.
Dinkle.	Rogers.
Donnell.	Rowell.
Dunn of Falls.	Rowland.
Durham.	Runge.
Enderby.	Sanford.
Fields.	Shearer.
Finlay.	Sheats.
Florence.	Simmons.
Frnka.	Sinks.
Graves.	Smith of Nueces.
Hagaman.	Smith of Travis.
Hall.	Smyth.
Harman.	Sparks.
Harper.	Stautzenberger.
Hoskins.	Stell.
Hull.	Stevens.
Jacks.	Stevenson.
Jasper.	Storey.
Johnson.	Stout.
Jones.	Strong.
Justice.	Taylor.

Teer.	Westbrook.
Thompson.	Wester.
Walker.	Williamson.
Wallace.	Wilson.
Webb.	Young.
Wells.	

Nays—4.

Albritton.	High.
Farrar.	McGill.

Absent.

Alexander	Irwin.
of Bastrop.	Jordan.
Amsler.	Kayton.
Avis.	Kemble.
Barron.	Kenyon.
Bartlett.	Kittrell.
Bird.	Lane of Hamilton.
Blount.	Mankin.
Bobbitt.	Masterson.
Bonham.	Maxwell.
Brown.	McDonald.
Bryant.	McFarlane.
Cade.	McKean.
Carter.	McNatt.
Cox of Lamar.	Morris.
Cummings.	Poage.
Davis of Dallas.	Powell.
Dielmann.	Purl.
Downs.	Rice.
Dunlap.	Simpson.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Tomme.
Faulk.	Veatch.
Foster.	Wade.
Gray.	Woodruff.
Hollowell.	

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.	McBride.
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The Speaker then laid House bill No. 655 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 208 ON SECOND READING.

On motion of Mr. Morris, the regular order of business was suspended to take up and have placed on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 208, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 4703, of Chapter 1, Title 70, and Article 5686, Chapter 2, Title 87, of the Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, relating to survival of causes of action for personal injuries and injuries resulting in death, and providing for the survival of causes of action for injuries resulting in death where the tortfeasor dies before suit is instituted, and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, it was read second time and was passed to third reading.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 208 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Morris moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that Senate bill No. 208 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—95.

Mr. Speaker.	Low.
Acker.	Mankin.
Albritton.	Masterson.
Baker of Orange.	McDonald.
Baker of Panola.	McFarlane.
Barker.	McGill.
Bateman.	Merritt.
Bean.	Montgomery.
Boggs.	Moore.
Bonham.	Morris.
Brown.	Nicholson.
Bryant.	Parish.
Chitwood.	Pavlica.
Coffey.	Pearce.
Conway.	Perdue.
Covey.	Petsch.
Cox of Navarro.	Poage.
Dale.	Pool.
Davis of Dallas.	Pope.
Davis of Wood.	Rawlins.
DeBerry.	Renfro.
Dinkle.	Rice.
Downs.	Robinson.
Dunn of Falls.	Rowell.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Runge.
Durham.	Sanford.
Enderby.	Shearer.
Farrar.	Sheats.
Frnka.	Simmons.
Graves.	Sinks.
Hagaman.	Smith of Nueces.
Hall.	Smith of Travis.
Harman.	Sparks.
Harper.	Stautzenberger.
High.	Stevenson.
Hoskins.	Stout.
Hull.	Strong.
Irwin.	Teer.
Jacks.	Thompson.
Jasper.	Tomme.
Johnson.	Veatch.
Jones.	Wade.
Jordan.	Wallace.
King.	Webb.
Kittrell.	Wells.
Laird.	Westbrook.
Lane of Harrison.	Wester.
Lipscomb.	Young.

Nays—11.

Atkinson.	Coody.
Bedford.	Fields.

Finlay.  
Gray.  
Lane of Hamilton.  
Purl.

Rogers.  
Taylor.  
Walker.

Present—Not Voting.

Alexander  
of Limestone.  
Cummings.

Daniels.  
Donnell.  
Williamson.

Absent.

Alexander  
of Bastrop.  
Amsler.  
Avis.  
Barron.  
Bartlett.  
Bird.  
Blount.  
Bobbitt.  
Cade.  
Carter.  
Cox of Lamar.  
Dielmann.  
Dunlap.  
Faulk.  
Florence.  
Foster.  
Hollowell.  
Justice.

Kayton.  
Kemble.  
Kenyon.  
Loftin.  
Maxwell.  
McDougald.  
McKean.  
McNatt.  
Powell.  
Raymer.  
Rowland.  
Simpson.  
Smyth.  
Stell.  
Stevens.  
Storey.  
Wilson.  
Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear. McBride.

The Speaker then laid Senate bill No. 208 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 453 ON SECOND READING.

(By Unanimous Consent.)

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 453, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 14 of an act of the Thirty-ninth Legislature, approved March 10, 1925, relating to the sale of oil and gas leases on University lands and extension of oil and gas permits heretofore and hereafter issued by providing the conditions upon which said permits may be extended, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 453 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Pool moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and

that Senate bill No. 453 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—97.

Mr. Speaker.	Lipscomb.
Acker.	Loftin.
Albritton.	Low.
Alexander of Limestone.	Masterson.
Baker of Orange.	McDougald.
Baker of Panola.	McFarlane.
Barker.	McGill.
Bean.	Moore.
Bedford.	Nicholson.
Boggs.	Parish.
Bonham.	Pavlica.
Brown.	Pearce.
Chitwood.	Perdue.
Coffey.	Poage.
Conway.	Pool.
Coody.	Purl.
Covey.	Rawlins.
Cox of Navarro.	Raymer.
Cummings.	Renfro.
Dale.	Rice.
Davis of Dallas.	Robinson.
DeBerry.	Rowell.
Dinkle.	Rowland.
Donnell.	Runge.
Downs.	Sanford.
Dunn of Falls.	Shearer.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Sheats.
Durham.	Simmons.
Enderby.	Sinks.
Fields.	Smith of Nueces.
Finlay.	Smith of Travis.
Florence.	Smyth.
Frnka.	Sparks.
Gray.	Stautzenberger.
Hagaman.	Stell.
Hall.	Stevenson.
Harman.	Stout.
Harper.	Strong.
High.	Taylor.
Hoskins.	Thompson.
Hull.	Veatch.
Jacks.	Wade.
Jasper.	Wallace.
Johnson.	Webb.
Jones.	Wells.
Jordan.	Westbrook.
King.	Wester.
Kittrell.	Williamson.
Lane of Harrison.	Young.

Nays—5.

Bryant.	Graves.
Cox of Lamar.	Walker.
Davis of Wood.	

Present—Not Voting.

Bateman.	Farrar.
Daniels.	Justice.

## Absent.

Alexander	Laird.
of Bastrop.	Lane of Hamilton.
Amsler.	Mankin.
Atkinson.	Maxwell.
Avis.	McDonald.
Barron.	McKean.
Bartlett.	McNatt.
Bird.	Merritt.
Blount.	Montgomery.
Bobbitt.	Morris.
Cade.	Petsch.
Carter.	Pope.
Dielmann.	Powell.
Dunlap.	Rogers.
Faulk.	Simpson.
Foster.	Stevens.
Hollowell.	Storey.
Irwin.	Teer.
Kayton.	Tomme.
Kemble.	Wilson.
Kenyon.	Woodruff.

## Absent—Excused.

Kinnear. McBride.

The Speaker then laid Senate bill No. 453 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas—101.

Mr. Speaker.	Frnka.
Acker.	Gray.
Albritton.	Hagaman.
Alexander	Hall.
of Limestone.	Harman.
Avis.	Harper.
Baker of Orange.	High.
Baker of Panola.	Hoskins.
Barker.	Hull.
Bean.	Jacks.
Bedford.	Jasper.
Boggs.	Johnson.
Bonham.	Jones.
Brown.	Jordan.
Chitwood.	King.
Coffey.	Kittrell.
Conway.	Lane of Harrison.
Covey.	Lipscomb.
Cox of Navarro.	Loftin.
Cummings.	Low.
Daniels.	Masterson.
Davis of Dallas.	McDonald.
Davis of Wood.	McDougald.
DeBerry.	McFarlane.
Donnell.	McGill.
Downs.	Merritt.
Dunn of Falls.	Montgomery.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Moore.
Durham.	Nicholson.
Enderby.	Parish.
Finlay.	Pavlica.
Florence.	Pearce.

Perdue.	Smyth.
Petsch.	Sparks.
Poage.	Stautzenberger.
Pool.	Stell.
Pope.	Stevenson.
Rawlins.	Stout.
Raymer.	Strong.
Renfro.	Taylor.
Rice.	Thompson.
Robinson.	Veatch.
Rowell.	Wade.
Rowland.	Walker.
Runge.	Wallace.
Sanford.	Webb.
Shearer.	Wells.
Sheats.	Westbrook.
Simmons.	Wester.
Sinks.	Williamson.
Smith of Nueces.	Young.
Smith of Travis.	

## Nays—6.

Bateman.	Cox of Lamar.
Bryant.	Fields.
Coody.	Graves.

## Present—Not Voting.

Dale.	Justice.
Farrar.	Lane of Hamilton.

## Absent.

Alexander	Kemble.
of Bastrop.	Kenyon.
Amsler.	Laird.
Atkinson.	Mankin.
Barron.	Maxwell.
Bartlett.	McKean.
Bird.	McNatt.
Blount.	Morris.
Bobbitt.	Powell.
Cade.	Purl.
Carter.	Rogers.
Dielmann.	Simpson.
Dinkle.	Stevens.
Dunlap.	Storey.
Faulk.	Teer.
Foster.	Tomme.
Hollowell.	Wilson.
Irwin.	Woodruff.
Kayton.	

## Absent—Excused.

Kinnear. McBride.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 273 ON SECOND READING.

On motion of Mr. Rice, the regular order of business was suspended to take up and have placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 273, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide pay for county judges for presiding over commissioners courts in counties having less than thirty-seven thousand inhabitants; providing that such judges shall not receive pay

for more than one special term in each month; providing how such fees shall be in addition to and exclusive of all other fees and compensation paid county judges in such counties; providing that such fees shall not be considered in estimating the maximum fees received by county judges in such counties; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, it was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 273 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Rice moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 273 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—92.

Mr. Speaker.	Jacks.
Acker.	Jasper.
Alexander	Johnson.
of Limestone.	Jones.
Atkinson.	Jordan.
Baker of Orange.	King.
Baker of Panola.	Kittrell.
Barker.	Laird.
Bateman.	Lane of Harrison.
Boggs.	Lipscomb.
Bonham.	Loftin.
Brown.	Masterson.
Bryant.	McDougald.
Chitwood.	McFarlane.
Coffey.	Merritt.
Conway.	Montgomery.
Covey.	Moore.
Cox of Lamar.	Parish.
Cox of Navarro.	Pavlica.
Cummings.	Pearce.
Dale.	Perdue.
Daniels.	Petsch.
Davis of Wood.	Pope.
DeBerry.	Purl.
Dinkle.	Rawlins.
Donnell.	Raymer.
Downs.	Renfro.
Dunn of Falls.	Rice.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Robinson.
Enderby.	Rowell.
Farrar.	Rowland.
Fields.	Sanford.
Florence.	Shearer.
Frnka.	Sheats.
Graves.	Simmons.
Gray.	Sinks.
Harman.	Smith of Nueces.
Harper.	Smith of Travis.
High.	Smyth.
Hull.	Sparks.

Stautzenberger.	Wallace.
Stell.	Webb.
Strong.	Wells.
Taylor.	Westbrook.
Thompson.	Wester.
Veatch.	Williamson.
Wade.	Young.

Nays—10.

Albritton.	Justice.
Bean.	McGill.
Coody.	Poage.
Finlay.	Stout.
Hoskins.	Walker.

Present—Not Voting.

Bedford.	Lane of Hamilton.
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Absent.

Alexander	Kemble.
of Bastrop.	Kenyon.
Amsler.	Low.
Avis.	Mankin.
Barron.	Maxwell.
Bartlett.	McDonald.
Bird.	McKean.
Blount.	McNatt.
Bobbitt.	Morris.
Cade.	Nicholson.
Carter.	Pool.
Davis of Dallas.	Powell.
Dielmann.	Rogers.
Dunlap.	Runge.
Durham.	Simpson.
Faulk.	Stevens.
Foster.	Stevenson.
Hagaman.	Storey.
Hall.	Teer.
Hollowell.	Tomme.
Irwin.	Wilson.
Kayton.	Woodruff

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.	McBride.
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The Speaker then laid House bill No. 273 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 311 ON SECOND READING.

On motion of Mr. Dunn of Hopkins, the regular order of business was suspended to take up and have placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 311, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing any steam or electric railway company, street railway company, interurban railway company, sleeping car company, or other transportation company to transport on any

interstate trip in this State any blind person, his or her guide for the same fare that one person is required to pay or furnish."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, it was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

### HOUSE BILL NO. 311 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Dunn of Hopkins moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 311 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—96.

Mr. Speaker.	Lane of Harrison.
Acker.	Lipscomb.
Albritton.	Low.
Atkinson.	Masterson.
Avis.	McDonald.
Baker of Orange.	McDougald.
Baker of Panola.	McGill.
Barker.	Merritt.
Bateman.	Montgomery.
Bean.	Moore.
Boggs.	Morris.
Bonham.	Nicholson.
Brown.	Pavlica.
Bryant.	Pearce.
Chitwood.	Perdue.
Coffey.	Petsch.
Conway.	Poage.
Coody.	Pope.
Covey.	Rawlins.
Cox of Lamar.	Raymer.
Cox of Navarro.	Renfro.
Daniels.	Rice.
Davis of Dallas.	Robinson.
Davis of Wood.	Rowell.
DeBerry.	Rowland.
Dinkle.	Runge.
Donnell.	Shearer.
Downs.	Sheats.
Dunn of Falls.	Simmons.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Sinks.
Durham.	Smith of Nueces.
Enderby.	Smith of Travis.
Farrar.	Smyth.
Fields.	Sparks.
Florence.	Stautzenberger.
Frnka.	Stell.
Graves.	Storey.
Hagaman.	Stout.
Hall.	Taylor.
Harman.	Teer.
Harper.	Thompson.
High.	Veatch.
Hoskins.	Wade.
Hull.	Walker.
Jasper.	Wallace.
Jordan.	Webb.
King.	Wells.
Kittrell.	Westbrook.

Williamson.  
Wilson.

Young.

Nays—3.

Finlay.  
Gray.

Strong.

Absent.

Alexander  
of Bastrop.  
Alexander  
of Limestone.  
Amsler.  
Barron.  
Bartlett.  
Bedford.  
Bird.  
Blount.  
Bobbitt.  
Cade.  
Carter.  
Cummings.  
Dale.  
Dielmann.  
Dunlap.  
Faulk.  
Foster.  
Hollowell.  
Irwin.  
Jacks.  
Johnson.  
Jones.

Justice.  
Kayton.  
Kemble.  
Kenyon.  
Laird.  
Lane of Hamilton.  
Loftin.  
Mankin.  
Maxwell.  
McFarlane.  
McKean.  
McNatt.  
Parish.  
Pool.  
Powell.  
Purl.  
Rogers.  
Sanford.  
Simpson.  
Stevens.  
Stevenson.  
Tomme.  
Wester.  
Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.

McBride.

The Speaker then laid House bill No. 311 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time.

Mr. Dunn of Hopkins offered the following amendments to the bill:

Amend House bill No. 311 by adding Section 2, as follows:

"Section 2. The fact that the calendar is now crowded, and that there are persons in Texas that will be affected by this law that are in a needy condition financially, makes this measure a public emergency, requiring that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended, and this bill be put into effect immediately."

Amend the caption of House bill No. 311 by adding after the word "furnish" the words, "and declaring an emergency."

The amendments were severally adopted.

House bill No. 311 was then finally passed by the following vote:

Yeas—102.

Mr. Speaker.  
Acker.  
Albritton.  
Alexander  
of Limestone.

Atkinson.  
Avis.  
Baker of Orange.  
Baker of Panola.  
Barker.

Bateman.	Merritt.
Bean.	Moore.
Boggs.	Morris.
Bonham.	Nicholson.
Brown.	Parish.
Bryant.	Pavlica.
Chitwood.	Pearce.
Coffey.	Perdue.
Conway.	Petsch.
Covey.	Poage.
Cox of Lamar.	Pool.
Cox of Navarro.	Pope.
Daniels.	Purl.
Davis of Wood.	Rawlins.
Dinkle.	Raymer.
Donnell.	Renfro.
Downs.	Robinson.
Dunn of Falls.	Rogers.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Rowell.
Enderby.	Rowland.
Farrar.	Runge.
Faulk.	Shearer.
Fields.	Sheats.
Florence.	Simmons.
Frnka.	Sinks.
Graves.	Smith of Nueces.
Hagaman.	Smith of Travis.
Hall.	Sparks.
Harper.	Stautzenberger.
High.	Stell.
Hoskins.	Stevenson.
Hull.	Storey.
Jacks.	Stout.
Johnson.	Strong.
Jones.	Taylor.
Jordan.	Thompson.
King.	Veatch.
Kittrell.	Wade.
Laird.	Walker.
Lane of Hamilton.	Wallace.
Lane of Harrison.	Webb.
Lipscomb.	Wells.
Low.	Westbrook.
Masterson.	Wester.
McDougald.	Williamson.
McFarlane.	Wilson.
McGill.	Young.

Nays—4.

Coody.	Gray.
Finlay.	Jasper.

Present—Not Voting.

Bedford.	Rice.
DeBerry.	

Absent.

Alexander	Carter.
of Bastrop.	Cummings.
Amsler.	Dale.
Barron.	Davis of Dallas.
Bartlett.	Dielmann.
Bird.	Dunlap.
Blount.	Durham.
Bobbitt.	Foster.
Cade.	Harman.

Hollowell.	McNatt.
Irwin.	Montgomery.
Justice.	Powell.
Kayton.	Sanford.
Kemble.	Simpson.
Kenyon.	Smyth.
Loftin.	Stevens.
Mankin.	Teer.
Maxwell.	Tomme.
McDonald.	Woodruff.
McKean.	

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.	McBride.
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## HOUSE BILL NO. 331 ON SECOND READING.

On motion of Mr. Fields, the regular order of business was suspended to take up and have placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 331, A bill to be entitled "An Act fixing the venue of the offense of abortion."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, it was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 331 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Fields moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 331 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—100.

Mr. Speaker.	Durham.
Acker.	Enderby.
Alexander	Farrar.
of Limestone.	Faulk.
Atkinson.	Fields.
Baker of Orange.	Finlay.
Baker of Panola.	Florence.
Barker.	Frnka.
Bateman.	Graves.
Boggs.	Gray.
Brown.	Hall.
Bryant.	Harman.
Chitwood.	Harper.
Coffey.	High.
Conway.	Hoskins.
Coody.	Hull.
Covey.	Jacks.
Cox of Lamar.	Jasper.
Cox of Navarro.	Jordan.
Davis of Wood.	King.
DeBerry.	Kittrell.
Dinkle.	Lane of Hamilton.
Donnell.	Lane of Harrison.
Downs.	Lipscomb.
Dunn of Falls.	Loftin.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Low.

Masterson.	Shearer.
McDonald.	Sheats.
McDougald.	Simmons.
McFarlane.	Smith of Nueces.
Merritt.	Smith of Travis.
Montgomery.	Sparks.
Moore.	Stautzenberger.
Nicholson.	Stell.
Parish.	Stevens.
Pavlica.	Storey.
Pearce.	Stout.
Perdue.	Strong.
Petsch.	Taylor.
Pool.	Teer.
Pope.	Thompson.
Purl.	Tomme.
Raymer.	Veatch.
Renfro.	Walker.
Rice.	Wallace.
Robinson.	Webb.
Rogers.	Wells.
Rowell.	Westbrook.
Rowland.	Wester.
Runge.	Williamson.
Sanford.	Young.

Nays—3.

Bean.	McGill.
Laird.	

Present—Not Voting.

Justice.

Absent.

Albritton.	Hollowell.
Alexander	Irwin.
of Bastrop.	Johnson.
Amsler.	Jones.
Avis.	Kayton.
Barron.	Kemble.
Bartlett.	Kenyon.
Bedford.	Mankin.
Bird.	Maxwell.
Blount.	McKean.
Bobbitt.	McNatt.
Bonham.	Morris.
Cade.	Poage.
Carter.	Powell.
Cummings.	Rawlins.
Dale.	Simpson.
Daniels.	Sinks.
Davis of Dallas.	Smyth.
Dielmann.	Stevenson.
Dunlap.	Wade.
Foster.	Wilson.
Hagaman.	Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.	McBride.
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The Speaker then laid House bill No. 331 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed.

# CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON SENATE BILL NO. 310.

Mr. Smith of Travis, Chairman, submitted the following Conference Committee report on Senate bill No. 310:

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 10, 1925.

Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate, and Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: We, your Conference Committee, appointed to adjust the differences between the House and Senate on

S. B. No. 310, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 68, of the General Laws passed by the Thirty-eighth Legislature, at the Regular Session, page 131, so as to abolish the office of district attorney for the counties of Travis and Williamson; to create the office of district attorney of the Fifty-third Judicial District," etc.,

Have had the same under consideration and we beg leave to report to the two houses that we have adjusted the differences between the House and Senate by eliminating from the bill the House amendment, and recommend the passage of the bill as same passed the Senate.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMER,  
SMITH of Travis,  
TEER,  
BARRON,  
FRNKA,

On the part of the House.

WOOD,  
WARD,  
WIRTZ,  
FAIRCHILD,  
MOORE of Cooke.

On the part of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Smith of Travis, the report was adopted.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 248 ON SECOND READING.

On motion of Mr. Loftin, the regular order of business was suspended to take up and have placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 248, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 3868, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, of 1911, fixing fees of constables for service rendered in business connected with courts of justices of the peace, so as to change the amount of certain fees provided therein and to add fee for every day

the constable shall attend the justice court, and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, it was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

# HOUSE BILL NO. 248 ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Loftin moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 248 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—100.

Mr. Speaker.	Lane of Hamilton.
Acker.	Lane of Harrison.
Alexander	Lipscomb.
of Limestone.	Loftin.
Amsler.	Low.
Atkinson.	Masterson.
Avis.	Maxwell.
Baker of Orange.	McDonald.
Baker of Panola.	McDougald.
Barker.	McFarlane.
Bateman.	McGill.
Bedford.	Merritt.
Boggs.	Montgomery.
Bonham.	Moore.
Brown.	Morris.
Bryant.	Nicholson.
Chitwood.	Parish.
Coffey.	Pavlica.
Conway.	Pearce.
Coody.	Perdue.
Cox of Lamar.	Petsch.
Daniels.	Pool.
Davis of Wood.	Pope.
DeBerry.	Rawlins.
Donnell.	Raymer.
Downs.	Renfro.
Dunn of Falls.	Rice.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Robinson.
Durham.	Rowell.
Enderby.	Rowland.
Farrar.	Runge.
Faulk.	Sanford.
Finlay.	Shearer.
Florence.	Sheats.
Graves.	Simmons.
Gray.	Sinks.
Hagaman.	Smith of Nueces.
Harper.	Smyth.
High.	Sparks.
Hoskins.	Stautzenberger.
Hull.	Stell.
Irwin.	Stevenson.
Jacks.	Storey.
Jasper.	Stout.
Johnson.	Strong.
Jones.	Taylor.
Justice.	Teer.
Kittrell.	Tomme.
Laird.	Walker.

Wallace.  
Webb.  
Wells.  
Westbrook.

Wester.  
Williamson.  
Wilson.  
Young.

Nays—2.

Albritton.

Bean.

Absent.

Alexander  
of Bastrop.  
Barron.  
Bartlett.  
Bird.  
Blount.  
Bobbitt.  
Cade.  
Carter.  
Covey.  
Cox of Navarro.  
Cummings.  
Dale.  
Davis of Dallas.  
Dielmann.  
Dinkle.  
Dunlap.  
Fields.  
Foster.  
Frnka.  
Hall.

Harman.  
Hollowell.  
Jordan.  
Kayton.  
Kemble.  
Kenyon.  
King.  
Mankin.  
McKean.  
McNatt.  
Poage.  
Powell.  
Purl.  
Rogers.  
Simpson.  
Smith of Travis.  
Stevens.  
Thompson.  
Veatch.  
Wade.  
Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.

McBride.

The Speaker then laid House bill No. 248 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—103.

Mr. Speaker.	Donnell.
Acker.	Dunn of Falls.
Alexander	Dunn of Hopkins.
of Bastrop.	Durham.
Atkinson.	Enderby.
Avis.	Farrar.
Baker of Panola.	Fields.
Barker.	Finlay.
Bateman.	Florence.
Boggs.	Graves.
Bonham.	Gray.
Brown.	Hagaman.
Bryant.	Harper.
Chitwood.	High.
Coffey.	Hoskins.
Conway.	Hull.
Coody.	Irwin.
Cox of Lamar.	Jacks.
Cox of Navarro.	Johnson.
Cummings.	Jones.
Dale.	Jordan.
Daniels.	Justice.
Davis of Wood.	Laird.
DeBerry.	Lane of Hamilton.
Dinkle.	Lane of Harrison.

Lipscomb.	Rowell.
Loftin.	Rowland.
Low.	Runge.
Mankin.	Sanford.
Masterson.	Shearer.
Maxwell.	Sheats.
McDonald.	Simmons.
McDougald.	Sinks.
McFarlane.	Smith of Nueces.
McGill.	Smyth.
Merritt.	Stautzenberger.
Moore.	Stell.
Morris.	Stevenson.
Nicholson.	Storey.
Parish.	Stout.
Pavlica.	Strong.
Pearce.	Taylor.
Petsch.	Thompson.
Poage.	Walker.
Pool.	Wallace.
Pope.	Webb.
Purl.	Wells.
Rawlins.	Westbrook.
Raymer.	Wester.
Renfro.	Williamson.
Rice.	Wilson.
Robinson.	Young.

Nays—6.

Albritton.	Downs.
Bean.	Perdue.
Bedford.	Tomme.

Present—Not Voting.

Jasper.

Absent.

Alexander	Hollowell.
of Limestone.	Kayton.
Amsler.	Kemble.
Baker of Orange.	Kenyon.
Barron.	King.
Bartlett.	Kittrell.
Bird.	McKean.
Blount.	McNatt.
Bobbitt.	Montgomery.
Cade.	Powell.
Carter.	Rogers.
Covey.	Simpson.
Davis of Dallas.	Smith of Travis.
Dielmann.	Sparks.
Dunlap.	Stevens.
Faulk.	Teer.
Foster.	Veatch.
Frnka.	Wade.
Hall.	Woodruff.
Harman.	

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear. McBride.

HOUSE BILL NO. 393 ON SECOND  
READING.

On motion of Mr. Frnka, the regular order of business was suspended to take up and have placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 393, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 1120 of Title 15, of Chapter 1, of the Code of Criminal Procedure of 1911, as amended by Chapter 127 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Thirty-fourth Legislature and by Chapter 70 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, so as to provide that the maximum number of days for which a district attorney may receive pay shall not exceed 230 in any one year in all judicial districts of this State composed of two counties or more, and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, it was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 393 ON THIRD  
READING.

Mr. Frnka moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House bill No. 393 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—94.

Acker.	Gray.
Alexander	Hall.
of Limestone.	Harper.
Avis.	Irwin.
Baker of Orange.	Jacks.
Baker of Panola.	Johnson.
Barker.	Jones.
Bateman.	Jordan.
Bedford.	Justice.
Blount.	King.
Boggs.	Laird.
Bonham.	Lane of Harrison.
Brown.	Lipscomb.
Bryant.	Loftin.
Chitwood.	Low.
Coffey.	Mankin.
Conway.	Masterson.
Coody.	Maxwell.
Covey.	McDougald.
Cox of Lamar.	McFarlane.
Cox of Navarro.	McGill.
Cummings.	Merritt.
Daniels.	Montgomery.
Davis of Wood.	Moore.
DeBerry.	Morris.
Dinkle.	Nicholson.
Donnell.	Parish.
Downs.	Pavlica.
Dunn of Falls.	Pearce.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Petsch.
Enderby.	Poage.
Fields.	Pool.
Finlay.	Pope.
Florence.	Purl.
Frnka.	Rawlins.
Graves.	Renfro.

Rice.	Smith of Travis.
Robinson.	Stautzenberger.
Rogers.	Stevenson.
Rowell.	Storey.
Rowland.	Strong.
Runge.	Taylor.
Sanford.	Thompson.
Shearer.	Veatch.
Sheats.	Wallace.
Simmons.	Webb.
Sinks.	Wester.
Smith of Nueces.	Young.

Nays—12.

Albritton.	Perdue.
Bean.	Stell.
Farrar.	Stevens.
High.	Stout.
Hoskins.	Walker.
Lane of Hamilton.	Westbrook.

Present—Not Voting.

Jasper.	Williamson.
McDonald.	

Absent.

Alexander	Hollowell.
of Bastrop.	Hull.
Amsler.	Kayton.
Atkinson.	Kemble.
Barron.	Kenyon.
Bartlett.	Kittrell.
Bird.	McKean.
Bobbitt.	McNatt.
Cade.	Powell.
Carter.	Raymer.
Dale.	Simpson.
Davis of Dallas.	Smyth.
Dielmann.	Sparks.
Dunlap.	Teer.
Durham.	Tomme.
Faulk.	Wade.
Foster.	Wells.
Hagaman.	Wilson.
Harman.	Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.	McBride.
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The Speaker then laid House bill No. 393 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed.

#### PROVIDING FOR CERTAIN EXPENSES.

Mr. Petsch offered the following resolution:

Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Texas, That the sum of \$2700 be appropriated out of the contingent fund of the House of Representatives, and that out of this sum the sum of \$18 be paid to each member of the House of Representatives for the follow-

ing purposes, to-wit: additional stamps, long distance telephone calls, telegrams.

Signed—Smith of Travis, Pool, Jacks, Thompson, Purl, Cummings, Johnson, Kemble, Strong, Webb, Stevenson, Amsler, Kayton, Storey, Sheats, Masterson, Finlay, Renfro, Merritt, Sanford, Frnka, Justice, Lipscomb, Pavlica, Hoskins, Hagaman, Stout, Rowland, Petsch, Rawlins, Poage, Durham, Fields, Wells, Baker of Orange, Nicholson, Harper, Raymer, Wilson, Shearer, Dunn of Falls, Florence, Barron, Foster, Kinnear, Hollowell, Lane of Harrison, Bartlett, Irwin, Loftin, Woodruff, Faulk, Alexander of Bastrop, Daniels, Robinson, Smith of Nueces, Cox of Lamar, Moore, Conway, Boggs, Dinkle, Wester, Pearce, Bateman, Dale, Coody, Stautzenberger.

The resolution was read second time.

Mr. Bean raised a point of order on consideration of the resolution at this time, on the ground that the members have a personal interest in the resolution and therefore cannot vote on the resolution.

The Speaker declined to rule on the point of order, stating that he would submit the matter to the House for its decision.

The House overruled the point of order.

Mr. Stevenson moved the previous question on the resolution and the main question was ordered.

Question recurring on the resolution, yeas and nays were demanded.

The resolution was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—27.

Baker of Orange.	Loftin.
Conway.	Merritt.
Coody.	Montgomery.
Cox of Navarro.	Moore.
Dinkle.	Petsch.
Faulk.	Poage.
Fields.	Purl.
Florence.	Rowland.
Hoskins.	Runge.
Jacks.	Stevenson.
Jordan.	Strong.
Justice.	Taylor.
Lane of Harrison.	Tomme.
Lipscomb.	

Nays—78.

Acker.	Boggs.
Albritton.	Bonham.
Alexander	Bryant.
of Limestone.	Chitwood.
Atkinson.	Coffey.
Avis.	Covey.
Baker of Panola.	Cox of Lamar.
Barker.	Davis of Dallas.
Bateman.	Davis of Wood.
Bean.	DeBerry.
Bedford.	Donnell.

Downs.	Pool.
Dunn of Falls.	Pope.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Raymer.
Durham.	Rice.
Enderby.	Robinson.
Farrar.	Rogers.
Finlay.	Rowell.
Graves.	Shearer.
Gray.	Sheats.
Hagaman.	Simmons.
Hall.	Sinks.
High.	Smyth.
Irwin.	Sparks.
Jasper.	Stautzenberger.
Johnson.	Stell.
Jones.	Stevens.
King.	Storey.
Kittrell.	Stout.
Lane of Hamilton.	Teer.
Mankin.	Veatch.
McDonald.	Walker.
McDougald.	Wallace.
McFarlane.	Webb.
McGill.	Wells.
Morris.	Westbrook.
Parish.	Wester.
Pavlica.	Williamson.
Pearce.	Young.
Perdue.	

Present—Not Voting.

Harper.	Renfro.
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Absent.

Alexander of Bastrop.	Kayton.
Amsler.	Kemble.
Barron.	Kenyon.
Bartlett.	Laird.
Bird.	Low.
Blount.	Masterson.
Bobbitt.	Maxwell.
Brown.	McKean.
Cade.	McNatt.
Carter.	Nicholson.
Cummings.	Powell.
Dale.	Rawlins.
Daniels.	Sanford.
Dielmann.	Simpson.
Dunlap.	Smith of Nueces.
Foster.	Smith of Travis.
Frnka.	Thompson.
Harman.	Wade.
Hollowell.	Wilson.
Hull.	Woodruff.

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear.	McBride.
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#### SENATE BILLS ON FIRST READING.

The following Senate bills, received from the Senate today, were laid before the House, read severally first time, and referred to the appropriate committees, as follows:

Senate bill No. 342, to the Judiciary Committee.

Senate joint resolution No. 5, to the Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Senate bill No. 226, to the Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

Senate bill No. 171, to the Committee on Common Carriers.

#### MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Senate Chamber,  
Austin, Texas, March 14, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed

S. B. No. 226, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 1120, of Title 15, Chapter 70, of the Penal Code of the State of Texas (being Article 1120 of that division known as the Code of Criminal Procedure of 1911), so as to increase the salaries of district attorneys in all judicial districts of this State, composed of two or more counties; to provide for the appointment of an assistant district attorney in certain cases; providing for the manner of payment of salaries and dispositions of fees, commissions, perquisites of the office of district attorney; providing for repeal of conflicting statutes, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 171, A bill to be entitled "An Act requiring every agent or inspector of any railroad or other public carrier on demand of shipper or consignor examining any shipment of fruit, vegetables, grain, live stock, or other farm products, prior to shipment, to ascertain the condition thereof, to forthwith deliver to the shipper or consignor true copies of any and all reports or certificates by him made concerning the condition thereof; making the failure to observe such a requirement or the willful making or publication of a false report as to the condition thereof a misdemeanor, and providing a penalty therefor, and declaring an emergency."

S. J. R. No. 5, Relating to amending a section of the Constitution of the State of Texas, as follows: "Section 3 of Article VII, relating to taxation for free public school purposes and the distribution thereof, and providing free textbooks for certain scholastics."

S. B. No. 342, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 1, of Chapter 62, of the General Laws, passed at the Regular Session of the Thirty-second Legislature, so as to change the amount of money that commissioners courts may

appropriate for farmers' co-operative demonstration work from \$1000 per year to \$1500 per year, and providing that commissioners courts may co-operate in such work with the United States Department of Agriculture and the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, and declaring an emergency."

The Senate has agreed to concur in House amendments to Senate bill No. 205.

The Senate has refused to concur in House amendments to Senate bill No. 438, and requests the House for the appointment of a free conference committee to adjust the differences. The following are appointed as conferees on part of the Senate:

Senators Davis, Moore of Hunt, Price, Triplett and Reid.

The Senate agrees to concur in House amendment to Senate joint resolution No. 9 by a vote of 25 yeas, 0 nays.

Respectfully,

MORRIS C. HANKINS,  
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

#### ADJOURNMENT.

Mr. Williamson moved that the House adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m. next Monday.

Mr. Wells moved that the House recess to 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Mr. McFarlane moved that the House recess to 8 o'clock p. m. today.

Mr. Bonham moved that the House adjourn until 7:30 o'clock p. m. today.

Question recurring on the motion of Mr. Williamson, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—77.

Albritton.	Enderby.
Alexander	Farrar.
of Limestone.	Faulk.
Bean.	Fields.
Bedford.	Florence.
Bryant.	Frnka.
Chitwood.	Graves.
Coffey.	Gray.
Conway.	Hagaman.
Coody.	Harman.
Cox of Lamar.	Harper.
Cox of Navarro.	Hoskins.
Cummings.	Jasper.
Daniels.	Jones.
Davis of Dallas.	Jordan.
Davis of Wood.	Justice.
DeBerry.	King.
Dinkle.	Laird.
Donnell.	Lane of Hamilton.
Dunn of Hopkins.	Lane of Harrison.
Durham.	Low.

Mankin.	Sinks.
McDougald.	Smith of Nueces.
McGill.	Smith of Travis.
Merritt.	Smyth.
Moore.	Stautzenberger.
Morris.	Stevens.
Pavlica.	Storey.
Petsch.	Strong.
Poage.	Teer.
Pool.	Thompson.
Pope.	Veatch.
Renfro.	Wade.
Robinson.	Walker.
Rogers.	Wallace.
Rowland.	Westbrook.
Runge.	Wester.
Sanford.	Williamson.
Shearer.	Young.
Sheats.	

Nays—20.

Baker of Orange.	Parish.
Barker.	Rawlins.
Dunn of Falls.	Raymer.
Finlay.	Rice.
High.	Stell.
Jacks.	Stout.
Kittrell.	Taylor.
Maxwell.	Webb.
McFarlane.	Wells.
Montgomery.	Wilson.

Present—Not Voting.

Boggs.

Absent.

Acker.	Hull.
Alexander	Irwin.
of Bastrop.	Johnson.
Amsler.	Kayton.
Atkinson.	Kemble.
Avis.	Kenyon.
Baker of Panola.	Lipscomb.
Barron.	Loftin.
Bartlett.	Masterson.
Bateman.	McDonald.
Bird.	McKean.
Blount.	McNatt.
Bobbitt.	Nicholson.
Bonham.	Pearce.
Brown.	Perdue.
Cade.	Powell.
Carter.	Purl.
Covey.	Rowell.
Dale.	Simmons.
Dielmann.	Simpson.
Downs.	Sparks.
Dunlap.	Stevenson.
Foster.	Tomme.
Hall.	Woodruff.
Hollowell.	

Absent—Excused.

Kinnear. McBride.

The House accordingly, at 5:30 o'clock p. m., adjourned until 9 o'clock a. m. next Monday.

## CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON SENATE BILL NO. 393.

On motion of Mr. Blount, the following report was ordered printed in the Journal of today:

Committee Room, Austin, Texas, March 14, 1925.

Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate, and Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: We, your conference committee on Senate bill No. 393, have had same under consideration and have adjusted the differences between the Senate and House and recommend the adoption of Senate bill as amended by the House with the following amendments:

## North Texas State Teachers College.

Amend House amendments, page 6, line 21, by striking out the figures "\$15,000.00," and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "\$32,000.00."

Amend House amendments, page 6, line 29, by striking out the figures "\$40,000.00" in the second column (being printers' error).

	For the Years Ending	
	Aug. 31, 1926	Aug. 31, 1927
Free Conference totals.....	\$ 438,735.00	\$411,460.00

## East Texas State Teachers College.

Free Conference totals.....	\$ 328,285.00	\$248,060.00
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## Southwest Texas State Teachers College.

Amend House amendments, page 15, line 6, by striking out the words and figures "Education Building Addition, \$50,000.00."

Free Conference totals.....	\$ 420,720.00	\$260,120.00
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## Stephen F. Austin State Teachers College.

Amend House amendments, page 17, line 11, by striking out the figures "\$3,000.00" in both columns, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$4,000.00" in each column.

Amend House amendments, page 17, lines 16 and 17, by striking out the words and figures.

Free Conference totals.....	\$ 271,750.00	\$274,250.00
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## South Texas State Teachers College.

Free Conference totals.....	\$ 164,670.00	\$145,420.00
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## Sul Ross State Teachers College.

Amend House amendments, page 21, line 1, by adding after the words "Sul Ross" the word "State."

Amend House amendments, page 22, line 36, by striking out the figures in both columns and insert in lieu thereof in first column "\$4,270.00," and in second column "\$3,070.00."

Amend House amendments, page 23, line 16, by striking out the figures in both columns and insert in lieu thereof in the first column "\$8,100.00," and in second column "\$7,400.00."

Amend House amendments, page 23, line 38, by striking out the figures in both columns and insert in lieu thereof in the first column "\$10,440.00," and in second column "\$3,450.00."

Amend House amendments, page 23, line 40, by striking out the figures in both columns and insert in lieu thereof in first column "\$107,300.00," and in second column "\$98,410.00."

Free Conference totals.....	\$ 107,300.00	\$ 98,410.00
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## West Texas State Teachers College.

Amend House amendments, page 28, between lines 24 and 25 by inserting the words "Retiring indebtedness on Randall Hall," and the figures "\$20,000.00" in first column.

	For the Years Ending	
	Aug. 31, 1926	Aug. 31, 1927
Free Conference totals.....	\$ 452,564.00	\$240,550.00

## Sam Houston State Teachers College.

Amend House amendments, page 32, line 20, by striking out the figures "\$75,000.00" in second column, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$100,000.00"

Free Conference totals.....	\$261,970.00	\$349,970.00
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## College of Industrial Arts.

Amend House amendments, page 102, lines 7, 13 and 37, by striking out the figures in both columns and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$3,750.00" in each column; and by striking out the figures in line 16 in both columns, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2,250.00" in each column; and by striking out the figures in both columns in line 18, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$2,000.00" in each column; and by striking out the figures in both columns in line 26, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$3,300.00" in each column; and by inserting between lines 32 and 33 the word "Instructor" and the figures "\$1,800.00" in each column.

Amend House amendments, page 103, line 9, by striking out the figures in both columns, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$3,300.00" in each column; and by striking out the figures in both columns, line 26, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$3,600.00" in each column.

Amend House amendments, page 104, line 7 by striking out the figures in both columns, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$3,750.00" in each column; and by inserting between lines 13 and 14 the words "Assistant professor," and the figures "\$2,250.00" in each column.

Amend House amendments, page 105, by inserting between lines 16 and 17, the words "Head Nurse," and the figures "\$1,500.00" in each column, and by adding the words at the end of line 18, "and instructor," and by adding between lines 21 and 22 the word "poultryman," and the figures "\$1,500.00" in each column; and by adding the words after the word "contingent," in line 31, the words "Fund for salaries (new positions only)"; and by striking out the figures in second column, line 36, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,510.00"; and by striking out the words and figures in line 40.

Amend House amendments, page 106, by striking out the words and figures in lines 5, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 22, 23, 24, 36, 37, 38, 39, and 40; and by striking out the figures in both columns in line 27, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$250.00" in each column.

Amend House amendments, page 107, by striking out the words and figures in lines 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11, and by inserting between lines 13 and 14, the words "Contingent Fund, General," and the figures "\$1,500.00" in each column; and by striking out the words and figures in lines 18, 19 and 20.

Amend House amendments, page 105, line 9, by striking out the figures "\$6,500.00" in both columns, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$7,500.00" in each column.

Free Conference totals.....	\$ 552,710.00	\$388,620.00
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## Texas School for the Blind.

Free Conference totals.....	\$ 124,560.00	\$118,510.00
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## State School for the Deaf.

Amend House amendments, page 114, by striking out the figures in both columns and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$18,720.00" in both columns.

Amend House amendment, page 116 by striking out the words and figures after line 36, and by striking out the words and figures on page 117, to and including line 13, and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures as follows:

	For the Years Ending	
	Aug. 31, 1926	Aug. 31, 1927
Repairs, painting and improvement of buildings and grounds, provided that the Board of Control may use this money for such other purposes as may seem most urgent and needed.....	\$ 30,000.00	\$ 5,000.00
Total repairs and improvements.....	\$ 30,000.00	\$ 5,000.00
New Buildings, Repairs and Equipment.		
Erection of new laundry building.....	\$ 16,500.00	
Laundry machinery and equipment.....	12,000.00	
Overhauling heating and wiring system.....		\$ 5,000.00
Fire escapes, two.....	1,225.00	
To enlarge primary oral building, in order to give more room in dormitories and to enlarge hospital..	19,500.00	
Total new buildings, repairs and equipment...	\$ 49,225.00	\$ 5,000.00
Free Conference totals.....	\$ 260,975.00	\$191,750.00
Texas Agricultural Experiment Stations System, Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas.		

Amend House amendments, page 100, by striking out all between lines 7 and 34, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the words and figures, as follows:

Substation No. 16.—Iowa Park.—Wichita Valley Experiment Station.		
Salary of Superintendent, with residence.....	\$ 2,700.00	\$ 2,700.00
Labor.....	3,000.00	3,000.00
Furniture and fixtures, postage, office supplies, freight, express, telephone, telegraph, and traveling expenses.....	400.00	400.00
Seeds, plants, chemicals, fertilizer and laboratory supplies.....	600.00	600.00
Fences.....	600.00	600.00
Farm machinery, implements and repairs thereon..	2,000.00	1,000.00
Fuels, oils, greases, lubricants for station engines..	200.00	200.00
Cottage for Superintendent.....	3,500.00	
Three teams of work stock for farm (two allowed) ..	900.00	
Barn for work stock.....	2,500.00	
Three laborers' cottages, two first year.....	2,400.00	1,200.00
Implement shed.....	600.00	
Laboratory and office building.....		2,500.00
Scientific apparatus, including weather recording instruments and water measuring devices .....	600.00	600.00
Total Substation No. 16.....	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 12,800.00
Amend House amendments, Division of Swine Husbandry, by adding the following words and figures:		
Travel for Swine Division.....	\$ 600.00	\$ 600.00
Labor.....	600.00	600.00
Amend House amendments, Division of Agronomy, by adding the following words and figures:		
Crops, laboratory, equipment and supplies.....	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00
Total Main Station Farm.....	\$ 150,378.82	\$ 145,756.76
Total all Substations.....	123,420.00	112,370.00
Free Conference totals—Station System.....	\$ 273,798.82	\$258,126.76

John Tarleton Agricultural College.

Amend House amendment, page 72, line 37, by striking out the word "Farm," and insert in lieu thereof the word "Barn."

## State Department of Forestry.

Amend House amendment, page 101, line 24, by striking out the figures "\$4,000.00," in each column, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$6,000.00," and strike out the figures "\$3,000.00" in each column, line 23, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$1,000.00," and add between lines 30 and 31 the words "purchase of lands," and the figures "\$4,000.00" in each column.

	For the Years Ending	
	Aug. 31, 1926	Aug. 31, 1927
Free Conference totals.....	\$ 52,980.00	\$ 52,580.00

## John Tarleton Agricultural College.

Amend House amendment, page 72, line 15, by striking out the figures "\$40,000.00" in the first column, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$50,000.00."

Amend House amendment, page 72, line 38, by striking out the words and figures.

Free Conference totals.....	\$ 248,720.00	\$ 213,520.00
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## North Texas Agricultural College.

Amend House amendment, page 79, lines 30 and 31, by striking out the words and figures.

Free Conference totals.....	\$265,920.00	\$181,105.00
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## Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College.

Amend House amendments by striking out the figures "\$2,700.00" in both columns, line 8, page 80, and insert in lieu thereof the figures "\$3,000.00" in each column.

Amend House amendments, page 80, by striking out all after line 8, both words and figures, pages 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, to and including line 7, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Secretary to principal.....	\$ 1,380.00	\$ 1,380.00
Stenographer to principal.....	900.00	900.00
Local treasurer.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
Cashier.....	1,500.00	1,500.00
Bookkeeper and voucher clerk.....	1,500.00	1,500.00
Stenographer to local treasurer.....	900.00	900.00
Registrar.....	1,260.00	1,260.00
Dean of men.....	1,260.00	1,260.00
Dean of women.....	1,260.00	1,260.00

## Agriculture:

Director and professor of agriculture.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
Professor of veterinary science and bacteriology...	1,800.00	1,800.00
Professor of animal husbandry.....	1,620.00	1,620.00
Professor of vocational agriculture (one-half salary)	800.00	800.00
Associate professor of animal and poultry husbandry.....	1,440.00	1,440.00
Assistant professor vocational agriculture (one-half salary).....	720.00	720.00
Professor of crops and soils.....	1,500.00	1,500.00
Instructor in animal husbandry.....	1,200.00	1,200.00
Superintendent of farm and grounds.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
Stenographer.....	900.00	900.00

## Education:

Dean and head of division.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
Associate professor of education.....	1,200.00	1,200.00
Assistant professor.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
Instructor.....	1,000.00	1,000.00

## English:

Professor and head of department.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Associate professor.....	1,200.00	1,200.00
Assistant professor.....	1,080.00	1,080.00
Instructor.....	1,000.00	1,000.00

	For the Years Ending	
	Aug. 31, 1926	Aug. 31, 1927
<b>Health.</b>		
Head nurse.....	\$ 900.00	\$ 900.00
<b>Nurse Training School:</b>		
Superintendent of nurses.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
Assistant superintendent of nurses.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
<b>History:</b>		
Professor and head of department.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Associate professor.....	1,200.00	1,200.00
<b>Home Economics:</b>		
Director and professor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Professor of vocational education (one-half salary).....	700.00	700.00
Associate professor of domestic science.....	1,200.00	1,200.00
Assistant professor of domestic science.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
Instructor in domestic science.....	900.00	900.00
Associate professor of domestic arts.....	1,200.00	1,200.00
Assistant professor of domestic arts.....	900.00	900.00
Instructor in millinery.....	900.00	900.00
<b>Languages:</b>		
Professor and head of department.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Associate professor.....	1,200.00	1,200.00
Assistant professor.....	900.00	900.00
<b>Mathematics.</b>		
Professor and head of department.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Associate professor.....	1,320.00	1,320.00
Instructor in mathematics.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
<b>Mechanic Arts:</b>		
Director and professor.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
Professor of vocational education, trades and industries (one-half salary).....	1,000.00	1,000.00
Professor of mechanic arts.....	1,650.00	1,650.00
Professor of drawing and designing.....	1,560.00	1,560.00
Associate professor in manual training.....	1,440.00	1,440.00
Assistant professor in machine shops practice.....	1,320.00	1,320.00
Assistant professor in blacksmithing.....	1,320.00	1,320.00
Assistant professor in shoemaking.....	1,320.00	1,320.00
Assistant professor in printing.....	1,320.00	1,320.00
Instructor in printing.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
Assistant professor in laundering.....	1,320.00	1,320.00
Instructor in laundering.....	660.00	660.00
Instructor in plumbing.....	1,320.00	1,320.00
Instructor in tailoring.....	1,320.00	1,320.00
Assistant professor in farm and auto mechanics.....	1,320.00	1,320.00
Instructor in farm and auto mechanics.....	900.00	900.00
Carpenter and repair man.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
Chief engineer.....	1,500.00	1,500.00
Truck driver and general assistant.....	900.00	900.00
Telephone operator.....	900.00	900.00
Stenographer-clerk.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
Assistant clerk and stenographer.....	720.00	720.00
Storekeeper, instructor in battery making and general electric repair man.....	1,200.00	1,200.00
<b>Music:</b>		
Professor and head of department.....	1,200.00	1,200.00
Assistant professor and director of band.....	1,200.00	1,200.00
Instructor.....	900.00	900.00

	For the Years Ending	
	Aug. 31, 1926	Aug. 31, 1927
<b>Natural Sciences:</b>		
Professor and head of department.....	\$ 1,800.00	\$ 1,800.00
Associate professor of biological sciences.....	1,380.00	1,380.00
Assistant professor of biological sciences.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
Associate professor of physical sciences.....	1,320.00	1,320.00
Assistant professor of physical sciences.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
<b>Miscellaneous.</b>		
Librarian.....	1,200.00	1,200.00
Night watchman.....	900.00	900.00
Mail clerk and postmaster.....	800.00	800.00
Head matron.....	720.00	720.00
Contingent.....	3,000.00	3,000.00
<b>Total salaries.....</b>	<b>\$ 105,150.00</b>	<b>\$105,150.00</b>
<b>Departmental Maintenance.</b>		
<b>Administration:</b>		
Principal's office.....	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
Principal's traveling expenses.....	250.00	250.00
Local treasurer's office.....	1,300.00	1,300.00
<b>Agriculture:</b>		
Supplies and expenses.....	500.00	500.00
Laboratory and class room equipment.....	1,500.00	1,500.00
Agricultural teacher training, to be matched by Smith-Hughes.....	800.00	800.00
Farm and live stock.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
Farm implements.....	750.00	750.00
Additional mules and horses.....	500.00	500.00
Dairy expenses and additions.....	120.00	120.00
Garden and canning plant.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
Veterinary science, equipment and supplies.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
<b>Education.</b>		
Class room equipment.....	850.00	850.00
Supplies.....	350.00	350.00
<b>Nurse Training School:</b>		
Equipment and sundry supplies and expense .....	2,000.00	2,000.00
<b>Home Economics:</b>		
Domestic science running expenses.....	1,750.00	1,750.00
Domestic science equipment.....	500.00	500.00
Domestic arts.....	1,050.00	1,050.00
<b>Library:</b>		
Books, binding, magazines and periodicals.....	1,050.00	1,050.00
Shelving and bookcases.....	350.00	350.00
<b>Mechanical:</b>		
Office of director.....	500.00	500.00
Machine shop running expenses and equipment...	750.00	750.00
Shoe shop running expenses and equipment.....	500.00	500.00
Blacksmith shop running expenses and equipment...	300.00	300.00
Plumbing shop running expenses and equipment...	300.00	300.00
Carpenter shop running expenses and equipment...	750.00	750.00
Print shop running expenses and equipment.....	250.00	250.00
Tailor shop running expenses and equipment.....	300.00	300.00
Industrial education to match Smith-Hughes.....	650.00	650.00
Auto and farm mechanics.....	500.00	500.00
Motors and transformers.....	800.00	800.00
Laundry running expenses.....	1,500.00	1,500.00
Laundry equipment.....	500.00	500.00
Institutional telephone, sundry expenses.....	300.00	300.00

	For the Years Ending	
	Aug. 31, 1926	Aug. 31, 1927
Institutional telephone, extensions, additions.....	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00
Hatmaking running expenses and equipment.....	250.00	250.00
<b>Music:</b>		
Musical instruments, equipment and supplies.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
<b>Natural Sciences:</b>		
Physical laboratory.....	375.00	375.00
Chemical laboratory.....	375.00	375.00
Biological laboratories.....	750.00	750.00
Total departmental maintenance.....	\$ 30,550.00	\$ 30,550.00
<b>Repairs and Permanent Improvements:</b>		
Upkeep, repairs and extensions of water, sewer and steam lines.....	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
Repairs and remodeling of buildings.....	5,000.00	5,000.00
For extensions, repairs and upkeep of power and light and telephone lines.....	350.00	250.00
To install steam heat in three frame and one brick dormitory.....	8,000.00	
To install vacuum pump for steam heat lines.....	850.00	
Electric generating unit.....	4,000.00	
Campus fences and grounds, fence around campus, including thief proof fence around wood yard..	1,000.00	
Outside improvements, including drives, upkeep of College road, shade trees and grading.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
One 200 horsepower boiler installed.....	5,000.00	
To construct sewage disposal plant.....	8,000.00	
To construct and equip a shops building to house mechanical departments, including machine, carpenter, blacksmith, plumbing and auto-mechanics shops.....	50,000.00	
Cottages for teachers.....	1,500.00	1,500.00
Machine and implement house for farm.....	2,000.00	
Total repairs and improvements.....	\$ 88,700.00	\$ 8,750.00
<b>Miscellaneous.</b>		
Steam plant maintenance.....	\$ 30,000.00	\$ 30,000.00
Student labor.....	3,000.00	3,000.00
Furniture and fixtures for dormitories.....	1,500.00	1,500.00
Total miscellaneous.....	\$ 34,500.00	\$ 34,500.00
Grand total (Free Conference).....	\$ 258,900.00	\$178,950.00
<b>Extension Service, Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas.</b>		
Free Conference totals.....	\$ 251,326.40	\$ 251,326.40

**The University of Texas.**

Amend House amendment by striking out both words and figures beginning with line 27, pages 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, and 47, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

**Main University.**

**Anthropology:**

**Salaries of:**

Professor.....	\$ 3,750.00	\$ 3,750.00
Associate professor.....	3,200.00	3,200.00
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Tutors and assistants.....	1,800.00	1,800.00

## Applied Mathematics:

Salaries of:

For the Years Ending  
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Professor and Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences.....	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 5,000.00
Professor.....	4,000.00	4,000.00
Associate professor.....	3,400.00	3,400.00
Adjunct professor.....	2,800.00	2,800.00
Adjunct professor.....	2,800.00	2,800.00
Adjunct professor.....	2,200.00	2,200.00

## Botany:

Professor.....	4,000.00	4,000.00
Professor.....	3,750.00	3,750.00
Associate professor.....	3,000.00	3,000.00
Adjunct professor.....	2,400.00	2,400.00
Assistants and tutors.....	3,500.00	3,500.00

## Chemistry:

Professor and Dean of the Graduate School.....	5,000.00	5,000.00
Professor of Organic Chemistry.....	4,500.00	4,500.00
Professor of Physical Chemistry.....	4,500.00	4,500.00
Professor.....	3,750.00	3,750.00
Adjunct professor.....	2,600.00	2,600.00
Tutors and assistants.....	20,000.00	20,000.00
Curator (twelve months).....	2,400.00	2,400.00
Mechanician (twelve months).....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Laboratory assistant (twelve months).....	1,440.00	1,440.00
Laboratory assistant (twelve months).....	1,320.00	1,320.00
Laboratory assistant (twelve months).....	1,200.00	1,200.00
Storeroom assistant (twelve months).....	1,200.00	1,200.00
Storeroom assistant (twelve months).....	1,200.00	1,200.00
Storeroom assistant (twelve months).....	1,200.00	1,200.00

## Classical Languages:

Professor.....	4,500.00	4,500.00
Professor and Head of Extension Teaching Division of the Bureau of Extension.....	4,250.00	4,250.00
Adjunct professor.....	2,600.00	2,600.00
Adjunct professor.....	2,400.00	2,400.00
Tutor.....	1,200.00	1,200.00

## Comparative Literature:

Professor.....	3,750.00	3,750.00
Adjunct professor.....	2,400.00	2,400.00
Assistant.....	200.00	200.00

## Economics and Sociology:

Professor of Economics.....	4,500.00	4,500.00
Professor of Economics.....	4,500.00	4,500.00
Professor of Sociology.....	4,000.00	4,000.00
Associate professor.....	3,600.00	3,600.00
Associate professor.....	3,600.00	3,600.00
Adjunct professor.....	3,000.00	3,000.00
Adjunct professor.....	2,600.00	3,000.00
Adjunct professor.....	2,600.00	3,000.00
Instructor.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
Instructor.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Tutors and assistants.....	1,200.00	1,200.00

English:		For the Years Ending	
		Aug. 31, 1926	Aug. 31, 1927
Salaries of—Continued.			
Professor.....	\$ 4,500.00	\$ 4,500.00	
Professor.....	4,500.00	4,500.00	
Professor and Curator of Wrenn Library.....	4,000.00	4,000.00	
Professor.....	4,000.00	4,000.00	
Professor.....	4,000.00	4,000.00	
Professor and Junior Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences.....	3,750.00	3,750.00	
Professor.....	4,000.00	4,000.00	
Associate professor.....	2,800.00	2,800.00	
Associate professor.....	2,600.00	2,600.00	
Adjunct professor.....	2,800.00	2,800.00	
Adjunct professor.....	2,800.00	2,800.00	
Adjunct professor.....	2,600.00	2,600.00	
Adjunct professor.....	2,400.00	2,400.00	
Adjunct professor.....	2,400.00	2,400.00	
Adjunct professor.....	2,200.00	2,200.00	
Adjunct professor.....	2,200.00	2,200.00	
Adjunct professor.....	2,200.00	2,200.00	
Instructor.....	2,200.00	2,200.00	
Instructor.....	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Instructor.....	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Instructor.....	1,900.00	1,900.00	
Instructor.....	1,900.00	1,900.00	
Instructor.....	1,900.00	1,900.00	
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Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Tutors and assistants.....	5,000.00	5,000.00	
Geology.			
Professor.....	4,500.00	4,500.00	
Professor.....	3,750.00	3,750.00	
Associate professor.....	3,400.00	3,400.00	
Adjunct professor.....	2,400.00	2,400.00	
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Tutors and assistants.....	900.00	900.00	
Germanic Languages:			
Associate professor.....	3,200.00	3,200.00	
Associate professor.....	2,800.00	2,800.00	
Associate professor.....	2,600.00	2,600.00	
Instructor.....	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Government:			
Professor.....	4,500.00	4,500.00	
Professor.....		4,500.00	
Associate professor.....	3,400.00	3,400.00	
Adjunct professor.....	2,500.00	2,600.00	
Adjunct professor.....	2,600.00	2,600.00	
Instructor.....	2,200.00	2,200.00	
Tutors and assistants.....	600.00	600.00	
History:			
Professor of American History.....	4,500.00	4,500.00	
Professor of Medieval History.....	4,250.00	4,250.00	

History—Continued.		For the Years Ending	
Salaries of—Continued.		Aug. 31, 1926	Aug. 31, 1927
Professor of American History.....	\$ 4,250.00	\$ 4,250.00	
Professor of Modern American History.....	3,700.00	3,700.00	
Associate professor of Ancient History.....	3,200.00	3,200.00	
Associate professor of English History.....	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Associate professor of Latin American History..	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Associate professor.....	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Associate professor.....	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Instructor.....	2,200.00	2,200.00	
Instructor.....	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Tutors and assistants.....	1,500.00	1,500.00	
Home Economics:			
Professor.....	4,000.00	4,000.00	
Associate professor.....	3,400.00	3,400.00	
Adjunct professor.....	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Adjunct professor.....	2,600.00	2,600.00	
Adjunct professor.....	2,400.00	2,400.00	
Instructor.....	2,200.00	2,200.00	
Instructor.....	2,200.00	2,200.00	
Instructor.....	2,200.00	2,200.00	
Instructor.....	2,200.00	2,200.00	
Instructor.....	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Laboratory assistant (twelve months).....	900.00	900.00	
Journalism:			
Professor.....	4,250.00	4,250.00	
Associate professor.....	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Library Science:			
Associate professor.....	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Instructor.....	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Music:			
Professor.....	4,000.00	4,000.00	
Instructor.....	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Philosophy and Psychology:			
Professor of Philosophy.....	4,500.00	4,500.00	
Professor of Psychology.....	3,750.00	3,750.00	
Professor of Philosophy.....	3,750.00	3,750.00	
Adjunct professor of Philosophy.....	2,600.00	2,600.00	
Adjunct professor of Psychology.....	2,600.00	2,600.00	
Instructor of Psychology.....	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Instructor of Psychology.....	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Instructor of Philosophy.....	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Instructor of Philosophy.....	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Tutors and assistants.....	1,200.00	1,200.00	
Physics:			
Professor.....	4,500.00	4,500.00	
Professor.....	4,000.00	4,000.00	
Professor.....	4,000.00	4,000.00	
Professor.....	4,000.00	4,000.00	
Adjunct professor.....	2,400.00	2,400.00	
Instructor.....	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Instructor.....	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Tutors and assistants.....	5,000.00	5,000.00	
Mechanician (twelve months).....	2,800.00	2,800.00	
Laboratory assistant (twelve months).....	1,800.00	1,800.00	

Public Speaking:	For the Years Ending	
	Aug. 31, 1926	Aug. 31, 1927
Salaries of—Continued.		
Associate professor.....	\$ 3,200.00	\$ 3,200.00
Adjunct professor.....	3,000.00	3,000.00
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Pure Mathematics:		
Professor.....	4,500.00	4,500.00
Professor.....	4,500.00	4,500.00
Professor of Actuarial Mathematics.....	4,000.00	4,000.00
Associate professor.....	3,600.00	3,600.00
Adjunct professor.....	3,600.00	3,600.00
Adjunct professor.....	2,400.00	2,400.00
Adjunct professor.....	2,400.00	2,400.00
Adjunct professor.....	2,400.00	2,400.00
Instructor.....	2,100.00	2,100.00
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Instructor (part time).....	900.00	900.00
Tutors and assistants.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
Romance Languages:		
Professor.....	4,500.00	4,500.00
Professor.....	4,500.00	4,500.00
Professor.....	3,750.00	3,750.00
Associate professor.....	3,600.00	3,600.00
Associate professor.....	3,600.00	3,600.00
Associate professor.....	3,000.00	3,000.00
Adjunct professor.....	2,600.00	2,600.00
Adjunct professor.....	2,400.00	2,400.00
Adjunct professor.....	2,400.00	3,400.00
Adjunct professor.....	2,200.00	2,200.00
Instructor.....	2,200.00	2,200.00
Instructor.....	2,200.00	2,200.00
Instructor.....	2,200.00	2,200.00
Instructor.....	2,200.00	2,200.00
Instructor.....	2,200.00	2,200.00
Instructor.....	2,200.00	2,200.00
Instructor.....	2,200.00	2,200.00
Instructor.....	2,200.00	2,200.00
Instructor.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
Instructor.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
Instructor.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
Instructor.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
Instructor.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Tutors and assistants.....	900.00	900.00
Zoology:		
Professor.....	4,500.00	4,500.00
Professor.....	4,000.00	4,000.00
Professor.....	4,000.00	4,000.00
Professor.....	4,000.00	4,000.00
Professor.....	3,750.00	3,750.00
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Tutors and assistants.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
Office of the Dean—Arts and Sciences:		
Secretary (twelve months).....	1,600.00	1,600.00
Assistant secretary (twelve months).....	1,500.00	1,500.00

Graduate School:		For the Years Ending	
Salaries of—Continued.		Aug. 31, 1926	Aug. 31, 1927
Dean (in addition to professorial salary) . . . . .	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00	
Secretary to Dean . . . . .	1,500.00	1,500.00	
Botany:			
Professor . . . . .	5,500.00	5,500.00	
Instruction . . . . .	750.00	750.00	
Chemistry:			
Instruction . . . . .	2,250.00	2,250.00	
Classical Languages:			
Instruction . . . . .	1,000.00	1,000.00	
Economics:			
Professor . . . . .	5,500.00	5,500.00	
Instruction . . . . .	500.00	500.00	
English:			
Professor . . . . .	5,500.00	5,500.00	
Instruction . . . . .	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Geology:			
Professor . . . . .	5,500.00	5,500.00	
Germanic Languages:			
Instruction . . . . .	200.00	200.00	
Government:			
Professor . . . . .	4,500.00	4,500.00	
Instruction . . . . .	1,000.00	1,000.00	
History:			
Professor . . . . .	4,000.00	4,000.00	
Instruction . . . . .	2,400.00	2,400.00	
Philosophy and Psychology:			
Instruction . . . . .	1,000.00	1,000.00	
Pure Mathematics:			
Associate professor . . . . .	3,600.00	3,600.00	
Instruction . . . . .	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Zoology:			
Instruction . . . . .	1,500.00	1,500.00	
Education:			
Professor . . . . .	5,500.00	5,500.00	
Instruction . . . . .	3,250.00	3,250.00	
School of Business Administration:			
Professor and Dean of the School . . . . .	5,000.00	5,000.00	
Professor . . . . .	5,000.00	5,000.00	
Professor . . . . .	5,000.00	5,000.00	
Professor . . . . .	5,000.00	5,000.00	
Professor . . . . .	4,500.00	4,500.00	
Associate professor . . . . .	3,750.00	3,750.00	
Associate professor . . . . .	3,600.00	3,600.00	
Associate professor . . . . .	3,400.00	3,400.00	
Adjunct professor . . . . .		2,200.00	
Adjunct professor . . . . .	2,200.00		
Instructor . . . . .	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Instructor . . . . .	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Instructor . . . . .	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Secretary to Dean . . . . .	1,500.00	1,500.00	
Tutors and assistants . . . . .	2,650.00	2,650.00	

School of Education—Art of Teaching.		For the Years Ending	
Salaries of—Continued.		Aug. 31, 1926	Aug. 31, 1927
Professor .....	\$ 4,500.00	\$ 4,500.00	
Adjunct professor .....	2,800.00	2,800.00	
Adjunct professor .....	2,800.00	2,800.00	
Adjunct professor .....	2,800.00	2,800.00	
Assistants .....	400.00	400.00	
Educational Administration:			
Professor and Dean of the School .....	5,000.00	5,000.00	
Professor .....	3,750.00	3,750.00	
Adjunct professor .....	2,800.00	2,800.00	
Assistant .....	300.00	300.00	
History of Education.			
Professor .....	4,500.00	4,500.00	
Adjunct professor .....	2,400.00	2,400.00	
Assistant .....	300.00	300.00	
Philosophy of Education.			
Professor .....	4,500.00	4,500.00	
Professor .....	3,750.00	3,750.00	
Adjunct professor .....	2,400.00	2,400.00	
Adjunct professor .....	2,600.00	2,800.00	
Instructor .....	2,400.00	2,400.00	
Instructor .....	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Instructor .....	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Tutors and assistants .....	2,000.00	2,000.00	
College of Engineering.			
Architecture:			
Professor (Architectural Engineering); research engineer in the Engineering Experiment Station .....	4,500.00	4,500.00	
Associate professor (Architectural Design and Architectural History) .....	3,200.00	3,200.00	
Lecturer (half time) .....	1,500.00	1,500.00	
Associate professor (Free Hand Drawing and Painting) .....	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Associate professor (part time) .....	1,600.00	1,600.00	
Civil Engineering:			
Professor and Dean of the College .....	5,000.00	5,000.00	
Professor and assistant dean .....	4,000.00	4,000.00	
Professor of Highway Engineering .....	4,500.00	4,500.00	
Professor .....	3,750.00	3,750.00	
Adjunct professor .....	2,400.00	2,400.00	
Adjunct professor .....	2,200.00	2,200.00	
Instructor .....	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Tutors and assistants .....	1,062.50	1,062.50	
Drawing:			
Professor .....	3,500.00	3,500.00	
Adjunct professor .....	2,400.00	2,400.00	
Assistants .....	450.00	450.00	
Electrical Engineering:			
Professor .....	4,500.00	4,500.00	
Associate professor .....	3,200.00	3,200.00	
Adjunct professor .....	2,600.00	2,600.00	
Instructor .....	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Instructor .....	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Instructor .....	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Tutors and assistants .....	900.00	900.00	

Mechanical Engineering:		For the Years Ending	
Salaries of—Continued.		Aug. 31, 1926	Aug. 31, 1927
Professor.....	\$ 3,600.00	\$ 3,600.00	
Adjunct professor.....	2,400.00	2,400.00	
Instructor.....	2,200.00	2,200.00	
Instructor.....	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Superintendent of shops (twelve months).....	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Mechanician (twelve months).....	2,160.00	2,160.00	
Shop assistant (twelve months).....	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Shop assistant (twelve months).....	1,600.00	1,600.00	
Office of the Dean:			
Secretary (twelve months).....	1,500.00	1,500.00	
Engineering librarian.....	1,060.00	1,060.00	
School of Law:			
Professor and Dean of the School.....	6,000.00	6,000.00	
Professor.....	6,000.00	6,000.00	
Professor.....	5,500.00	5,500.00	
Professor.....	5,500.00	5,500.00	
Professor.....	4,500.00	4,500.00	
Professor.....	4,500.00	4,500.00	
Professor.....	4,500.00	4,500.00	
Professor (emeritus).....	4,500.00	4,500.00	
Instructor.....	3,500.00	3,500.00	
Instructor.....		1,800.00	
Secretary, registrar and instructor (twelve months).....	2,800.00	2,800.00	
Quizmasters.....	2,160.00	2,160.00	
Stenographer (nine months).....	1,000.00	1,000.00	
Summer Session:			
Salaries and maintenance.....	100,000.00	100,000.00	
Department of Physical Activities:			
Professor.....	4,250.00	4,250.00	
Physical Training for Men:			
Instructor.....	2,600.00	2,600.00	
Instructor.....	2,500.00	2,500.00	
Instructor.....	2,500.00	2,500.00	
Assistants.....	400.00	400.00	
Instructor and secretary (twelve months).....	2,400.00	2,400.00	
Stenographer (twelve months).....	900.00	900.00	
Physical Training for Women:			
Director.....	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Instructor.....	2,800.00	2,800.00	
Instructor.....	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Instructor.....	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Assistants.....	600.00	600.00	
Secretary.....	1,000.00	1,000.00	
Pianist.....	800.00	800.00	
Library:			
Librarian.....	3,600.00	3,600.00	
Supervisor of loans.....	2,400.00	2,400.00	
Loan assistant.....	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Loan assistant.....	1,680.00	1,680.00	
Loan assistant.....	1,500.00	1,500.00	
Loan assistant.....	1,500.00	1,500.00	
Loan assistant.....	1,000.00	1,000.00	
Reference librarian.....	2,200.00	2,200.00	
Assistant reference librarian.....	1,600.00	1,600.00	

## Library—Continued.

Salaries of—Continued.	For the Years Ending	
	Aug. 31, 1926	Aug. 31, 1927
Head cataloguer.....	\$ 2,200.00	\$ 2,200.00
Cataloguer.....	1,800.00	2,000.00
Cataloguer.....	1,500.00	1,500.00
Cataloguer.....	1,500.00	1,500.00
Typist.....	1,200.00	1,200.00
Typist.....	1,200.00	1,200.00
Supervisor of orders.....	2,200.00	2,200.00
Supervisor of accessions.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Order and accessions assistant.....	1,200.00	1,200.00
Order and accessions assistant.....	1,200.00	1,200.00
Salary of Miss Lavinia Harville, assistant in the library at the University, and the Committee recommend that she be retained during her natural life.....	1,200.00	1,200.00
Supervisor of Serials and Bindings.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Serials and Bindings assistant.....	1,400.00	1,400.00
Supervisor of Newspaper Collection.....	1,600.00	1,600.00
Newspaper Collection Assistant.....	1,100.00	1,100.00
Garcia Collection Assistant.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
General Library Assistant.....	1,600.00	1,600.00
Pages.....	4,000.00	4,000.00
Law Librarian.....	1,500.00	1,500.00
Law Library Assistant.....	600.00	600.00
General Administration—Office of the President: (Twelve months)		
President.....	10,000.00	10,000.00
Secretary to the President.....	2,400.00	2,400.00
Office of the Registrar: (Twelve months)		
Registrar and assistant dean of the College of Arts and Sciences; Secretary of the Board of Regents.....	4,500.00	4,500.00
Editorial and statistical assistant.....	2,400.00	2,400.00
Assistant Registrar.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
Recorder.....	1,600.00	1,600.00
Secretary.....	1,500.00	1,500.00
Bulletin Supervisor.....	1,500.00	1,500.00
Assistant.....	1,400.00	1,400.00
Information clerk.....	1,200.00	1,200.00
Clerical assistants.....	1,500.00	1,500.00
Student Life Staff:		
Dean of Students and Lecturer in English.....	4,500.00	4,500.00
Dean of Women.....	3,600.00	3,600.00
Assistant to Dean of Women.....	1,400.00	1,400.00
Office of the Auditor: (Twelve months)		
Auditor.....	4,500.00	4,500.00
Assistant Auditor.....	3,000.00	3,000.00
Bookkeeper.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
Assistant to Auditor.....	1,500.00	1,500.00
Assistant bookkeeper.....	1,500.00	1,500.00
Office of the Business Manager: (Twelve months)		
Business Manager.....	4,500.00	4,500.00
Assistant Business Manager.....	2,400.00	2,400.00
Stenographic Bureau:		
Stenographers and clerks.....	15,000.00	15,000.00

	For the Years Ending	
	Aug. 31, 1926	Aug. 31, 1927
Physical Plant: (Twelve months)		
Salaries of—Continued:		
Superintendent of grounds.....	\$ 1,800.00	\$ 1,800.00
Engineer of Power Plant.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
Night watchmen.....	6,600.00	6,600.00
Janitors.....	22,640.00	22,640.00
Wiremen.....	6,225.00	6,225.00
Campus laborers.....	7,500.00	7,500.00
Wagoner and team.....	1,620.00	1,620.00
Elevator attendant.....	1,440.00	1,440.00
Extramural Activities—Bureau of Economic Geology: (Twelve months)		
Director.....	4,500.00	4,500.00
Chief Geologist.....	3,750.00	3,750.00
Associate Geologist.....	3,000.00	3,000.00
Curator.....	1,200.00	1,200.00
Assistant.....	750.00	750.00
Secretary to the Director.....	1,320.00	1,320.00
Engineering Experiment Station: (Twelve months)		
Testing Engineer.....	3,000.00	3,000.00
Assistant Testing Engineer.....	2,100.00	2,100.00
Industrial Chemistry Experiment Station: (Twelve months)		
Chemist.....	2,200.00	2,200.00
Chemist.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Bureau of Extension (Twelve months, unless otherwise specified).		
Director's Office:		
Director (nine months).....	4,500.00	4,500.00
Secretary.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Research Specialist in Rural Education (nine months).....	2,500.00	2,500.00
Lecturer on rural education.....	2,400.00	2,400.00
Stenographer.....	1,200.00	1,200.00
Extension Teaching Division:		
Registrar of the Division.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
Assistant Registrar.....	1,320.00	1,320.00
Nutrition and Health Education Division: (Ten months)		
Head of Division.....	2,400.00	2,400.00
Lecturer.....	2,200.00	2,200.00
Lecturer.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
Interscholastic League Division:		
Head of the Division.....	3,300.00	3,300.00
Lecturer on Physical Education.....	2,400.00	2,400.00
Secretary of the League.....	1,500.00	1,500.00
Stenographer.....	1,200.00	1,200.00
Assistants.....	450.00	450.00
Package Loan Library Division:		
Head of the Division.....	2,200.00	2,200.00
Assistant to the Head.....	1,600.00	1,600.00
Reference Assistant.....	1,400.00	1,400.00
Reference Assistant.....	1,100.00	1,100.00
Record Assistant.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
Assistant.....	750.00	750.00
Industrial Teachers Training Division:		
Head of the Division.....	3,300.00	3,300.00
Teacher Trainer.....	3,200.00	3,200.00

Visual Instruction Division:		For the Years Ending	
Salaries of—Continued:		Aug. 31, 1926	Aug. 31, 1927
Head of the Division (nine months).....	\$	2,400 00	\$ 2,400 00
Secretary.....		1,200 00	1,200 00
Cataloguer and lecturer supervisor.....		1,200 00	1,200 00
Total salaries.....		\$1,261,147.50	\$1,264,847.50

Departments and Laboratories:			
Anthropology.....	\$	500 00	\$ 250 00
Applied mathematics.....		150 00	100 00
Botany.....		1,000 00	1,000 00
Chemistry.....		15,000 00	15,000 00
Total for Main University.....		\$1,458,273.50	\$1,406,547.50

## Medical Branch.

Amend House amendments by striking out all after line 11, on page 54, and on page 55 to and including line 13, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

		For the Years Ending	
		Aug. 31, 1926	Aug. 31, 1927
Anatomy.....	\$	5,500.00	\$ 5,500.00
Bacteriology and Preventive Medicine.....		3,275.00	3,275.00
Biological Chemistry.....		2,500.00	2,500.00
Histology and Embryology.....		1,000.00	1,000.00
Pathology.....		1,750.00	1,850.00
Pathology Museum.....		1,500.00	1,500.00
Pharmacology.....		1,500.00	1,500.00
Pharmacology (special equipment).....		3,985.00	2,000.00
Physiology.....		2,000.00	2,000.00
Physiology (special equipment).....		1,000.00	
Dermatology and Syphilology.....		250.00	250.00
Diseases of Children.....		500.00	500.00
Obstetrics and Gynecology.....		600.00	600.00
Ophthalmology and Otology.....		250.00	300.00
Ophthalmology and Otology (special equipment).....		1,000.00	
Practice of Medicine.....		2,200.00	2,200.00
Roentgenology.....		500.00	500.00
Surgery.....		2,000.00	2,000.00
Chemistry.....		4,000.00	4,000.00
Chemistry (special equipment).....		3,000.00	
Pharmacy.....		2,800.00	2,800.00
Nursing.....		300.00	300.00
Total departments and laboratories.....		\$ 41,410.00	\$ 34,575.00

## General Expenses:

Alcohol.....	\$	500.00	\$ 500.00
Catalogues.....		500.00	500.00
Commencement.....		300.00	300.00
Diplomas.....		300.00	300.00
Library.....		5,000.00	5,000.00
Office and traveling expenses of the Dean and of the Directors of the Colleges of Pharmacy and Nursing.....		3,650.00	3,650.00

## Physical Plant:

Electricity.....		1,500.00	1,500.00
Fuel.....		2,000.00	2,000.00
Gas.....		1,200.00	1,200.00
Shop.....		500.00	500.00
Towels and laundry.....		300.00	300.00
Water.....		500.00	500.00

Total current expenses.....	\$	16,250.00	\$ 16,250.00
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Grand total of Medical Branch (Free Conference).....	\$204,630.00	\$197,795.00
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	For the Years Ending	
	Aug. 31, 1926	Aug. 31, 1927
College of Mines and Metallurgy.		
Total Free Conference.....	\$ 47,300.00	\$ 47,300.00

## Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas.

Amend House amendments, page 58, by adding line 37-A: Instructor.....	\$ 1,800.00	\$ 1,800.00
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Page 59, by adding after "college," in line 31, the following: "and Dean of Graduate School in Agriculture," and by striking out the figures "4,250" for each year, and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "4,500" each year.

Page 60, line 29, by striking out the figures "3,750" for each year, and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "4,000" for each year.

Page 61, line 27, by adding after the word "dean," the following: "of school"; and by striking out the figures on line 28, "4,250" for each year, and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "4,500" for each year.

Page 62, line 24, by adding after the word "dean," the following: "of school"; and by striking out the figures "4,250" for each year, and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "4,500" for each year.

Page 62, line 30, by striking out the word "Department," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "School."

Page 62, line 33, after the word "Dean," the following: "of School."

Page 63, line 10, by striking out the figures "7,500.00" for each year and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "9,000.00" for each year.

Page 63, by adding line 7-A, as follows:

"Graduate School of Agriculture;"

by adding line 7-B, as follows:

"Teaching Fellowships (10)..... \$ 4,000.00 \$ 4,000.00"

Page 65, line 14, by striking out the figures "10,000" for each year, and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "20,000" for each year.

Page 68, line 11, by striking out the figures "10,000" for each year, and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "12,000" for each year.

Page 68, line 19, by striking out the figures "1,500" for each year and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "3,000" for each year.

Page 69, by adding line 5-A, as follows:

"Provided, that any of the money herein appropriated which may be used for printing and binding, is hereby authorized to be used to reimburse the A. and M. College of Texas for any printing or binding done for the College or its Branches, and those having control of any such appropriations are authorized to have the printing and binding done by the A. and M. College Press."

Page 68, line 37, by striking out the words "and equipments."

Page 68, line 40, by inserting the following:

For the Years Ending  
Aug. 31, 1926 Aug. 31, 1927

"Fireproof addition to dining hall and to repair  
roof and foundation of present building..... \$ 75,000.00 for first year.

Conference Committee totals.....\$1,032,565.00 \$ 969,165.00

## Texas Technological College.

Amend House amendments to Senate bill No. 393,  
page 107, line 34, by striking out the figures  
"\$6, 00.00" and inserting in lieu thereof..... \$ 7,500.00 \$ 7,500.00

Amend House amendments, page 108, line 11, by  
striking out line 11, and inserting in lieu thereof  
"Dean and Professor"..... 4,250.00 4,250.00

In line 12, strike out the figures "\$3,250" each  
year, and insert in lieu thereof..... 3,500.00 3,500.00

Amend House amendments, page 108, line 17, by  
striking out the figures "\$3,250.00," and inserting  
in lieu thereof..... 3,500.00 3,500.00

Between lines 17 and 18, add line 17-A:

Associate Professor..... 2,750.00 2,750.00

## Texas Technological College—Continued.

For the Year Ending  
Aug. 31, 1926 Aug. 31, 1927

Amend House amendments, page 108, by striking out line 19, and inserting in lieu thereof:		
Dean and Professor.....	\$ 4,250.00	\$ 4,250.00
Amend line 20 by striking out the figures, "\$3,250.00" each year, and inserting in lieu thereof.	3,500.00	3,500.00
Amend House amendments, page 108, by striking out line 22, and inserting in lieu thereof:		
Dean and professor.....	4,250.00	4,250.00
In line 23, strike out the figures, "\$3,250.00" each year, and insert in lieu thereof.....	3,500.00	3,500.00
After line 24, insert 24-A:		
Associate professor.....	2,500.00	2,500.00
Amend House amendments, page 108, line 37, by striking out the figures "\$2,750.00," and inserting in lieu thereof.....	3,000.00	3,000.00
After line 38, add line 38a:		
Adjunct professor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
Amend House amendments, page 108, by striking out line 40, and inserting in lieu thereof:		
Dean and professor.....	4,250.00	4,250.00
Amend House amendments, page 109, line 4, by striking out the figures "\$3,250.00, and inserting in lieu thereof.....	3,500.00	3,500.00
Amend House amendments, page 109, by adding after line 20, line 20a:		
Professor.....	3,000.00	3,000.00
After line 21, add line 21a:		
Assistant professor.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
Amend House amendments, page 109, by striking out line 24, and inserting in lieu thereof:		
Associate professor.....	2,750.00	2,750.00
After line 24, add line 24a:		
Instructor.....	1,800.00	1,800.00
In line 25, strike out the figures "\$10,000.00" each year, and insert in lieu thereof.....	15,000.00	15,000.00
In line 8, page 108, strike out the figures, "\$5,000.00," and insert in lieu thereof.....	3,000.00	3,000.00
Amend House amendments, page 110, line 28, by striking out the figures "\$7,500.00" and "\$5,000.00," and insert in lieu thereof.....	10,000.00	2,500.00

After line 40, add the following:

"All rents from lands belonging to the College are hereby appropriated and the Board of Directors are authorized to use the same and to make such rental contracts as they deem best for the placing of permanent improvements and buy livestock for the Agricultural Department of said School out of such rents."

For the Years Ending  
Aug. 31, 1926 Aug. 31, 1927

Conference Committee totals.....	\$ 206,700.00	\$ 240,200.00
Grand total.....	\$ 7,637,492.72	6,723,735.66
Combined grand total.....		\$14,361,228.38

Respectfully submitted,

STRONG,  
BLEDSE,  
BOWERS,  
DAVIS, JOHN.

On the part of the Senate.

BLOUNT,  
STEVENS,  
ROGERS,  
KING,  
CHITWOOD.

On the part of the House.

**APPENDIX.****STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS.**

The following committees have today filed favorable reports on bills, as follows:

Judicial Districts—House bill No. 679; Senate bills Nos. 302, 423.

Oil, Gas and Mining—Senate bills Nos. 453, 350.

Revenue and Taxation—House bill No. 631; Senate bill No. 434.

State Affairs—Senate bill No. 451.

Appropriations—Senate bill No. 406.

The following committees have today filed adverse reports on bills, as follows:

Constitutional Amendments — Senate joint resolutions Nos. 28, 3.

Game and Fisheries—Senate bill No. 195.

**REASON FOR VOTE.**

I voted against House bill No. 303 because there will be a great loss to the State by selling properties at this time and for the further reason that the same calls for an appropriation which the State is unable to pay at this time. The proposed measure will, in my judgment, cost the State of Texas at least \$5,000,000 before it is completed.

F. A. DALE.

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS.**

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 14, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 669, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating, establishing and incorporating the Hidalgo Independent School District in Hidalgo county, Texas, for free school purposes only; defining its boundaries; providing for the management and control thereof by a board of trustees; providing for continuing in office certain members of the board and the election of the other members of the board, and providing time and manner of election thereof, and providing for temporary management and control of said district; authorizing the selection of a treasurer (or depository), and providing for the requirement of a proper bond; providing for requiring bond to be

given by assessor and collector of taxes and the proper disposition of such taxes; ratifying, confirming and validating taxes for maintenance purposes and bond issues heretofore voted; providing for the appointment of suitable persons to act as a board of equalization and giving said board of equalization power to fix the valuation upon property in said district for school purposes; vesting, validating and confirming in said independent district all moneys and other property of whatsoever character heretofore held and vested in Common School District No. 15 of Hidalgo county, Texas, and also the assumption of all indebtedness of said Common School District No. 15 of Hidalgo county, Texas; making this act cumulative of all such general laws not in conflict with this act; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict with this act, and providing that in case any clauses or sections of this act are declared unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such action by the court shall not invalidate the remaining clauses or sections of this act, and declaring an emergency,"

And find the same correctly engrossed.

ROWELL, Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 14, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 638, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending the special road law of Titus county, Texas, so as to authorize the commissioners court to fund the road and bridge indebtedness of said county by the issuance of funding or refunding bonds, and to levy a tax in payment thereof, and declaring an emergency,"

And find the same correctly engrossed.

ROWELL, Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 14, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 633, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 2, of Chapter 4, of the Local and Special Laws enacted by the Thirty-fourth Legislature, at its Regular Session, in 1915, in so far as

it applies to Atascosa county, by adding thereto Sections 2a and 2b, to permit the issuance of bonds by Atascosa county, for the purpose of funding or refunding indebtedness incurred for road and bridge purposes; providing for the distribution of the road and bridge fund of said county, and declaring an emergency,"

And find the same correctly engrossed.  
ROWELL, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 14, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 640, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend an act creating and incorporating the O'Donnell Independent School District in the counties of Lynn and Dawson in the State of Texas,"

And find the same correctly engrossed.  
ROWELL, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 11, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 590, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating Snyder Independent School District in Scurry county, Texas,"

And find the same correctly engrossed.  
COVEY, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 12, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 588, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 1, of Chapter 3, Special Laws of the Thirty-eighth Legislature, Third Called Session, the same being entitled 'An Act to create Roscoe Independent School District in Nolan county, Texas,'"

And find the same correctly engrossed.  
COVEY, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 14, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 650, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 29, of the General Laws of the Regular Session of the Thirty-eighth Legislature, so as to abolish the office of district attorney in the Seventy-seventh Judicial District on and after January 1, 1927, and providing that on and after said date the county attorney of each county of said district shall perform the duties of a district attorney in said Seventy-seventh District Court in their respective counties, and declaring an emergency,"

And find the same correctly engrossed.  
ROWELL, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 11, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 595, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create the Shelbyville Independent School District of Shelby county, Texas,"

And find the same correctly engrossed.  
COVEY, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 642, A bill to be entitled "An Act to validate the incorporation of the city of Littlefield, as adopted by the qualified voters of said city at an election held on the 9th day of August, 1924, under the provisions of Chapter 15, Title 22, Revised Civil Statutes of 1911, as amended by Chapter 21, Acts of 1913, Regular Session, as amended by Chapter 60, Acts of 1921, Regular Session,"

And find the same correctly engrossed.  
ROWELL, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 600, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 3903 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, for 1911, as amended by the Thirty-third Legislature at its Regular Session, Chapter 121, and Chapter 142, of the General Laws, as amended by

Chapter 32 of the General Laws of the Third Called Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, as amended by Chapter 96, of the General Laws of the Regular Session of the Thirty-seventh Legislature, authorizing county attorneys and district attorneys in counties having a population in excess of one hundred thousand inhabitants, where there is also a district attorney, to appoint deputies, or assistants; by adding Section 3903a, providing that counties composing one judicial district, and the population being between thirty-seven thousand five hundred and one hundred thousand, and the county attorney performs the duties of county attorney and district attorney."

And find the same correctly engrossed.  
ROWELL, Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 665, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Giles Independent School District in Donley county, Texas, including therein Giles Common School District No. 4 of the said county."

And find the same correctly engrossed.  
ROWELL, Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 321, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the protection of rainbow trout in the fresh waters of Texas; providing for a two-year closed season, and a closed season during certain months thereafter; prescribing a legal size and a daily bag limit; prohibiting the sale and barter of rainbow trout; prescribing a penalty, and declaring an emergency,"

And find the same correctly engrossed.  
COVEY, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 672, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Irwindell Independent School District in Dallas county, Texas; providing a board of trustees therefor and vesting said school district board of trustees with all the rights, powers, privileges and duties conferred upon independent school districts incorporated under the general laws of Texas; providing for the validation of all contracts for the maintenance of the schools of the territory herein incorporated for the current scholastic year; providing for an election to determine as to the assumption and payment of the outstanding bonded or other valid indebtedness of the territory herein incorporated, as herein set out; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency,"

And find the same correctly engrossed.  
ROWELL, Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 637, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a more efficient road system for Stonewall county, Texas; providing that the commissioners court of said county shall be authorized to issue bonds of said county for the purpose of funding or refunding indebtedness incurred for road and bridge purposes, and declaring an emergency,"

And find the same correctly engrossed.  
COVEY, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills have carefully examined and compared

H. B. No. 355, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the commissioners court of any county in this State to have old probate records or papers recorded by the county clerk when in the opinion of the commissioners court such recording is necessary; authorizing the commissioners court to compensate the county clerk for such work out of the general fund of the county, and declaring an emergency,"

And find the same correctly engrossed.  
COVEY, Vice-Chairman.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 12, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 623, "An Act validating Common School District No. 1 of Bailey county, Texas,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 12, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 627, "An Act validating Common School District No. 12 in Bailey county, Texas,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 12, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 621, "An Act validating Common School District No. 2, Bailey county, Texas,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 12, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 545, "An Act creating the Flynt Independent School District in Swisher county, Texas,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 12, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 625, "An Act to create the Bula Independent School District in Bailey county, Texas,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 12, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 620, "An Act validating Common School District No. 9, Bailey county, Texas, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 12, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 622, "An Act to create the Longview Independent School District in Bailey county, Texas,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 12, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 624, "An Act to create the West Camp Independent School District in Bailey county, Texas,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 493, "An Act to create the Tell Independent School District in Childress, Hall and Cottle counties, including therein the present Common and County Line School District No. 9 of Hall, Childress and Cottle counties and the Tell Independent District of Hall and Childress counties; providing a board of trustees therefor; vesting said Tell Independent School District board of trustees with all the rights, powers, privileges and duties conferred upon independent school districts incorporated under the general laws of Texas; pro-

viding for the validation of all current contracts of said Common County Line School District No. 9, and the present Tell Independent District, as the subsisting obligations and acts of the Tell Independent School District as created by this act; providing for an election to determine as to the assumption of outstanding bonded indebtedness of territory hereby incorporated, as herein set out, and declaring an emergency."

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 26, "An Act determining and fixing the annual salary of the county superintendent of public instruction of Jefferson county, Texas; providing for the payment of said salary; providing for the payment of office and traveling expenses, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 12, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 589, "An Act to create the Frional Independent School District in Parmer county, Texas,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 552, "An Act creating and incorporating the Happy Independent School District in Terry county, Texas, out of territory now composing Happy Common School District No. 11 in said county as heretofore created, and adding thereto certain territory now within the bounds of the Gomez Independent School District, heretofore created by act of the Legislature, and defining its boundaries,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 516, "An Act creating the Motley Independent School District of Rusk county, Texas; defining its boundaries; vesting it with rights, powers, duties and privileges of districts incorporated for school purposes only under the general laws; providing for a board of trustees therefor, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 517, "An Act creating the Sulphur Springs Independent School District of Rusk county; defining its boundaries; vesting it with rights, powers, duties and privileges of districts incorporated for school purposes only under the general laws; providing for a board of trustees therefor, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 522, "An Act to create the Bluffdale Independent School District in Erath county, Texas, including therein the present Bluffdale District No. 8 of Erath county; providing a board of trustees therefor; vesting said Bluffdale Independent School District board of trustees with all the rights, powers, privileges and duties conferred upon independent school districts incorporated under the general laws of Texas; providing for the validation of all current contracts, taxes and bond issues of the said Bluffdale Independent School District No. 8 as the subsisting obligations and acts of the Bluffdale Independent

School District as created by this act; providing for an election to determine as to the assumption of outstanding indebtedness of territory hereby incorporated as herein set out, and declaring an emergency."

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 534, "An Act creating the Harral County Line School District in Lubbock county and Hale county, Texas, out of territory now comprising Harral County Line Common School District No. 30 in Lubbock county and Hale county, Texas, and established and defined by order of the county boards of trustees of Lubbock and Hale counties, Texas, and recorded in Vol. 1 of the record of school districts in the office of the county clerk of Lubbock county, at page 1, et seq., except the following lands, which are by Act of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, Fourth Called Session, House bill No. 175, Chapter 27, Section 1, transferred to Hardy Common School District No. 26, viz.: Surveys 22, 23, 24, 25, 26 and 27, and about 2001 acres out of Survey 22, 23, 24, 25, 26 and 27, and about 200 acres out of Survey 132, and in Block P, defining the boundaries; providing for a board of trustees and defining their powers and authority; authorizing said board of trustees to levy, assess and collect taxes for maintenance and building purposes and to issue bonds therefor; providing that said board of trustees shall exercise the power and authority of the board of equalization for said district; providing that all outstanding bonds, obligations and indebtedness of said Harral County Line Common School District No. 30 shall be assumed by and shall become binding obligations upon Harral County Line Independent School District; providing for the validation of all such bonds, obligations and indebtedness; continuing in force all taxes heretofore voted and now in force in said Harral County Line Common School District No. 30; providing that title to all public free school property within said territory shall be divested out of Harral County Line Common School District No. 30 and vested in Harral County Line

Independent School District as hereby created; providing for the election and term of office of trustees of said Harral County Line Independent School District; providing for the filling of vacancies on said board of trustees; providing for seal for said district; providing that said board of trustees shall be governed by the general laws in all matters where this act is silent; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; providing that invalidation by the courts of any provisions or sections herein shall not invalidate the remaining sections and provisions, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 504, "An Act creating and incorporating the Newcastle Independent School District lying in Young county in the State of Texas; defining the boundaries thereof; providing for a board of trustees thereof; placing said independent district under the control of the general laws governing independent districts; providing that no outstanding indebtedness of the Newcastle Independent District be invalidated, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 520, "An Act to create the Plymouth Independent School District in Collingsworth county, Texas, including therein the present Plymouth Independent School District No. 17 of Collingsworth county; providing a board of trustees therefor; providing said Plymouth Independent School District board of trustees with all the rights, privileges and duties conferred upon independent school districts incorporated under the general laws of Texas; providing for the validation of all current contracts, taxes and bond issue of the said Plymouth Independent School District No. 17 as the subsisting obligations and acts of the Plymouth Inde-

pendent School District as created by this act, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room.

Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 352, "An Act to amend Sections 7 and 8, Chapter 19, of the Local and Special Laws of the Regular Session of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, and adding thereto Sections 8a and 8b, relating to quorum; providing for the appointment of certain officers, board of equalization, and providing for the execution of bond by certain officers of the Garwood Independent School District in Colorado county, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room.

Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 514, "An Act to create the Conroe Independent School District in Montgomery county, Texas; defining its boundaries; to provide for the election of trustees; providing for the retention in office of the present board of trustees of the Conroe Independent School District, and providing for the abolition of all other boards of trustees of any school district included within the district hereby created; providing for the raising of revenue, issuing bonds, maintaining public free schools; providing for the means of transportation of the school children in said district; to provide for the establishment of voting precincts and places for the holding of elections within said district; validating all issues of bonds heretofore voted and made; declaring valid and continuing in force all maintenance taxes heretofore voted and levied; providing for an election to determine (1) whether the entire district as a whole as herein created shall assume all outstanding bonded indebtedness; (2) whether all property within the Conroe Independent School District as created by this act shall be subject to all special school taxes heretofore

voted and levied by the Conroe Independent School District; repealing all laws in conflict with this act, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room.

Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 470, "An Act to create the Reagan County Independent School District in Reagan county, Texas; providing a board of trustees therefor; vesting said independent school district board of trustees with all the rights, powers, privileges and duties conferred upon independent school districts organized under the general laws of Texas; providing for a board of trustees for the said district to serve until the time for the next election of school trustees in independent school districts as provided by general laws; authorizing the said Reagan County Independent School District to hold an election to determine whether or not the said district shall assume and make provision for the payment of the outstanding indebtedness of the territory incorporated herein; validating and continuing in force current contracts and tax levies of districts included in the Reagan County Independent District for the present scholastic year, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room.

Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 485, "An Act creating the Bledsoe Independent School District in Lubbock county, Texas, out of territory now comprising Bledsoe Common School District No. 5 in Lubbock county, Texas, as said common school district was created and established by Act of the Thirty-fifth Legislature of the State of Texas, Fourth Called Session, Local and Special Laws, House bill No. 175, Chapter 27, Section 5; defining its boundaries; providing for a board of trustees and defining their powers and authority; authorizing said board of trustees to levy, assess and collect taxes for

maintenance and building purposes and to issue bonds therefor; providing for an assessor and collector of taxes thereof; providing that said board of trustees shall exercise the power and authority of the board of equalization for said district; providing that all outstanding bonds, obligations and indebtedness of said Bledsoe Common School District No. 5 shall be assumed by and shall become binding obligations upon Bledsoe Independent School District; providing for the validation of all such bonds, obligations and indebtedness; continuing in force all taxes heretofore voted and now in force in said Bledsoe Common School District No. 5; providing that title to all public free school property within said territory be divested out of Bledsoe Common School District No. 5 and vested in Bledsoe Independent School District as hereby created; providing for the election and term of office of trustees of said Bledsoe Independent School District; providing for the filling of vacancies on said board of trustees; providing for seal for said district; providing that said board of trustees shall be governed by the general laws in all matters where this act is silent; repealing all laws in conflict herewith," etc.,

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 486, "An Act creating and incorporating the Willow Wells Independent School District in Terry county out of territory now composing Willow Wells Common School District No. 14 in said county, as heretofore created," etc.,

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 509, "An Act to create the Common County Line School District No. 9 in Scurry, Borden and Mitchell counties, Texas; providing a board of trustees thereof, and vesting said common county line school district board of trustees with all the rights, powers, privi-

leges and duties conferred upon common county line school districts incorporated under the general laws of Texas; conferring upon Scurry county jurisdiction over said district; providing for an election to determine as to the assumption of outstanding bonded indebtedness of territory hereby incorporated, as herein set out, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 459, "An Act to amend an Act of the Second Called Session of the Thirty-eighth Legislature entitled, 'Creating the Westover Independent School District,' Chapter 13; defining the boundaries of said district; giving the trustees thereof power to increase its area; providing for the assumption of pro rata indebtedness of annexed territory, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 462, "An Act to levy and collect annually a \$3 road tax against all able-bodied male citizens of Waller county, who are between the ages of 21 and 45 years; providing the manner of assessment and collection of said tax and further providing for a penalty for failure or refusal to pay such tax, repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 484, "An Act changing the boundaries of Caldwell Common School District No. 6 in Lubbock county, Texas, and Abernathy Independent School District in Lubbock and Hale

counties, Texas, and transferring a portion of the territory now embraced in Abernathy Independent School District to Caldwell Common School District No. 6, and providing that Caldwell Common School District No. 6 shall assume and pay the portion of the bonded indebtedness of Abernathy Independent School District which it is obligated to assume in taking over the additional lands, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 399, "An Act creating the Asherton Independent School District in Dimmit county, Texas; defining its boundaries; providing for a board of trustees in said district; conferring upon said district and its board of trustees all the rights and powers, privileges, duties and liabilities now conferred and imposed by the general laws of Texas upon independent school districts and the board of trustees thereof; declaring that all taxes or bonds heretofore authorized by Asherton Common School District No. 2 of Dimmit county, Texas, shall remain in full force and effect, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 427, "An Act to create Neal Common School District in Tyler county, Texas, including therein the territory of the Common School District No. 36 of the said county; providing a board of trustees therefor; vesting said school district board of trustees with all the rights, powers, privileges and duties conferred upon common school districts incorporated under the general laws of Texas; and providing for a board of trustees to serve until the time for the next election of school trustees as provided by general law; providing for the validation of all contracts for the maintenance of the schools of the territory herein incorporated for the current scho-

lastic year; providing for an election to determine as to the outstanding bonded indebtedness of the territory herein incorporated, as herein set out; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 500, "An Act to create the Boone County Line Common School District No. 9 lying in Midland and Glasscock counties, Texas; validating all acts of the board of trustees of said county line district with respect to contracts; validating all taxes heretofore voted and levied upon the territory of said district; placing said district under the general laws of the State, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 488, "An Act making a special road law for Upshur county; defining powers and duties of county commissioners, and conferring upon them such authority as may be necessary to enable them to establish and maintain a system of county public roads that will meet the requirements of all the people for convenient inter-communication and for reaching their local market centers and providing for extra compensation for extra services of commissioners, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 316, "An Act creating the Cyclone Common School District No. 9 in Bell county, Texas; fixing its boundaries by metes and bounds; dissolving

and abolishing the old Common School District No. 9, in said county and State, and carving out of a part of the same, retaining its old name, that is, the Cyclone Common School District No. 9, out of the eastern part of said old district, and by this special act creating the new; providing for the payment of outstanding bonds or other evidences of indebtedness, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 541, "An Act creating the Sherwood Independent School District in Irion county, Texas, and defining the boundaries of all adjoining districts thereto,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 332, "An Act amending Chapter 19, Local and Special Laws, passed by the Thirty-seventh Legislature, at its First Called Session, as amended by Chapter 88, Local and Special Laws, passed by the Thirty-eighth Legislature, at its Regular Session, creating the Canton Independent School District in Van Zandt county, Texas; defining its boundaries; providing for the extension thereof, including the present Canton Independent School District; providing for a board of trustees in said district, conferring upon said district and its board of trustees all the rights, powers, privileges and duties now conferred and imposed by the general laws of Texas upon independent school districts and the boards of trustees thereof; providing that the present board of trustees continue in office until the expiration of their respective terms; providing that the outstanding bonded indebtedness of each school district included within the bounds of said district shall remain chargeable against the territory which voted the same; pro-

viding that the district as herein created may assume such outstanding bonded indebtedness; providing for the repeal of all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, March 13, 1925.

Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 542, "An Act creating and incorporating the Cross Roads County Line Independent School District, lying in the counties of Henderson and Anderson, in the State of Texas,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

STOUT, Chairman.

#### FORTY-FOURTH DAY.

(Monday, March 16, 1925.)

The House met at 9 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Speaker Satterwhite.

The roll was called and the following members were present:

Acker.	Daniels.
Albritton.	Davis of Dallas.
Alexander	Davis of Wood.
of Limestone.	DeBerry.
Atkinson.	Dinkle.
Avis.	Donnell.
Baker of Orange.	Downs.
Baker of Panola.	Dunn of Falls.
Barker.	Dunn of Hopkins.
Barron.	Durham.
Bateman.	Enderby.
Bean.	Farrar.
Bedford.	Faulk.
Bird.	Fields.
Blount.	Finlay.
Bobbitt.	Florence.
Boggs.	Foster.
Bonham.	Frnka.
Brown.	Graves.
Bryant.	Gray.
Cade.	Hagaman.
Chitwood.	Hall.
Coffey.	Harman.
Conway.	Harper.
Coody.	High.
Covey.	Hollowell.
Cox of Lamar.	Hoskins.
Cox of Navarro.	Hull.
Cummings.	Irwin.
Dale.	Jacks.